

Victoria Daily Times

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Ripple Rock Inquiry Next Week In Vancouver

Seymour Narrows Rock Investigation Interests Victoria

Proposal to Remove Ripple Rock Will Be Studied by Federal Marine Department Board at Inquiry To Be Started in Vancouver Next Wednesday.

Controversy over the question of Ripple Rock, which was renewed here last year, may break out again with an investigation in Vancouver by a Federal inquiry board of a proposal for removal of the rock as a menace to navigation.

Supporters for the project of building a bridge across Seymour Narrows, vigorously fought a move last year to have the rock removed. It was claimed the rock would form one of the main links in the foundation of such a bridge.

VANCOUVER BOARD

The outcome of the inquiry in Vancouver will be closely watched in Victoria. Word of the investigation was received in the following telegraphic advice from the mainland:

Vancouver, Jan. 24.—Proposed removal of Ripple Rock, Seymour Narrows, is to be the subject of an investigation opening in Vancouver next Wednesday.

Evidence to the effect the rock constitutes a serious menace to navigation will be heard by the commission which recently concluded an inquiry into the Vancouver Second Narrows bridge disaster. That body consists of L. E. Cote, chief engineer of the Federal Department of Marine; E. E. Brydson-Jack, district engineer of the Federal Department of Public Works; and C. E. Cartwright, Vancouver civil engineer.

The hearing will open in the board room of Vancouver Merchants' Exchange at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday.

FARO GAME ENDS WOMAN REVENUE COLLECTOR'S JOB

Washington, Jan. 24.—Mrs. Myrtle T. Blackledge to-day resigned as collector of internal revenue for the faro game. The internal revenue bureau received the resignation this morning and said it would be accepted at once.

The investigation into Mrs. Blackledge's conduct of her office was continued by the bureau until it was assured her affairs with the government are in proper shape.

She was involved in a "faro swindle," losing the lost \$50,000 in cash and \$207,000 in paper profits in a faro game at Springfield, Illinois.

CAPT. MACINTOSH IS ELECTED FOR ISLANDS SEAT

Conservative Candidate Unopposed in Nomination Filed To-day

Special to The Times
Ganges, Jan. 24.—Captain McGregor F. Macintosh of Salt Spring Island, Conservative, was this afternoon elected by acclamation to the Provincial Legislature as the representative of the Islands. In the by-election rendered necessary by the resignation of Col. C. W. Peck, V.C., now a member of the Regional Pensions Appeals Board.

Prowlers Enter Beauty Parlor

Burglars who gained entrance by making a rear window, ransacked Fred's Hairdressing Parlors, Fort Street, yesterday evening, but failed to secure any loot, a check up this morning showed. A cash box had been tried open and papers strewn over the floor, detectives found, but there was no money in the place.

HALF-MILLION MILL WORKERS WILL BE IDLE

Cotton Weavers in England Decline to Resume Negotiations With Factory Owners

Lockout Now Affecting 250,000 Expected Soon to Involve Double That Number

Manchester, Eng., Jan. 24.—Weavers in the Lancashire cotton industry voted heavily against authorizing their leaders to resume negotiations with mill owners looking toward installation of the so-called more looms per weaver system.

A ballot among union members stood 90,770 against 44,990. It was announced this afternoon.

Mill owners locked out 250,000 weavers on this issue and the adverse vote probably means an equal number of spinners will be thrown into idleness, and the textile industry will be tied up until the difficulty is solved.

NO U.S.-JAPAN BARGAIN ON NAVAL BASIS

Shidehara Denies U.S. Immigration Bars Mentioned at London Conference

Tokyo, Jan. 24.—A charge by Yosuke Matsuoka, an opposition leader, that during the London Naval Conference "America promised to modify the immigration exclusion clause if Japan accepted the American proposals on disarmament questions" was denied in parliament to-day by Baron Shidehara, Foreign Minister.

Replying to Matsuoka's interpellation about such an alleged secret understanding between Japan and the United States, Baron Shidehara said the charge was entirely unfounded.

"There is no connection whatever between the naval conference and immigration, and never has been," said the Foreign Minister. "I am glad to say Japan's position on migration gradually is being understood throughout the United States and the government has optimistic views of the matter."

FINGERPRINT PLAN FOR TAXI DRIVERS OF TORONTO ENDED

Toronto, Jan. 24.—Compulsory insurance for taxicabs in Toronto will be postponed for at least six months and fingerprinting of drivers already taken by the police will be destroyed. This assurance was given the city to-day, following a conference between a solicitor for the United Taxicab Owners of Toronto and the police commission yesterday.

FREE SPEECH

The citizens of Toronto have the assurance of the city police commission that free speech within the law is its present policy. The board declares that has always been its policy and always will be.

LAVAL TAKES CABINET TASK FOR FRANCE

Attempts to Form Ministry After Refusal of Briand to Make Effort

Consults His Colleagues in Senate; Speedy Solution of Problems Needed

Paris, Jan. 24.—The Mavras News Agency announced Pierre Laval had accepted President Doumergue's invitation to form a cabinet to succeed the ministry of Theodore Steeg, overthrown in the Chamber of Deputies on Thursday.

M. Laval began immediately consultation of his colleagues in the Senate in an effort to form his ministry as quickly as possible.

Paris, Jan. 24.—It was officially announced to-night Aristide Briand had declined an offer to become premier of France, tendered by President Doumergue to-day.

The necessities of growing hard times spurred the President in his search for a new premier to replace Theodore Steeg, whose cabinet resigned Thursday night after a defeat in the Chamber of Deputies.

Figures made public to-day revealed there are now 22,664 persons drawing the unemployment dole in France as against 988 at the end of last September. It is estimated a far larger number of unemployed have not yet sought the dole.

SIX PLANES ON HUNT FOR LOST AIR MAIL PILOT

Fliers Work Out of Spokane, Searching For W. E. Case, Missing Since Thursday

Spokane, Wash., Jan. 24.—A dawn patrol of six planes flew into tricky today to-day starting the second day's systematic search for Walter E. Case, Varney air mail pilot, missing since Thursday.

Leon D. Cuddeback, Varney Line vice-president, in charge of the search, with five other ships, left Peltz field in formation just as daylight was striking the sky. They headed into the Pasco, Goldendale and Columbia Gorge country.

"I believe we secured the first information of the plane's sequence from the people around Lamona," Cuddeback said. "It seems quite definite Case was flying over that country about 9 o'clock Thursday morning. He approached the territory from the west, flying at considerable altitude. He swung south, then southwest, indicating his return toward Pasco and the Columbia Gorge."

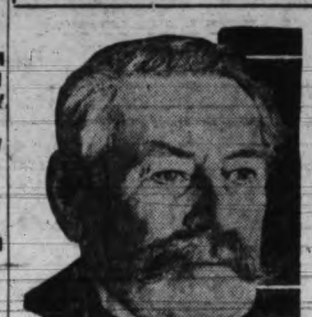
Cuddeback estimated Case's gasoline supply had been exhausted before noon Thursday.

The weather to-day was ideal for the search through eastern Washington, the pilots reported. Visibility was limited, although a brisk wind was blowing. Much of the ground is covered with snow, making it easy to see a dark object. Between Pasco and Ritzville there is no snow. If Case crashed his ship and it did not burn, the pilots believed it would be seen. If it did burn, the chances are it would be found by some sheep herder as he drove his flock over the prairie country.

SEARCH NEARS END

Prince Rupert, B.C., Jan. 23.—Pilot Ansel Eckmann returned to Prince Rupert to-day to consult with provincial authorities in connection with the search for the bodies of Pilot Robin Renahan and his two companions or wreckage from their plane. The last week has revealed nothing new and the impression is growing the search will be abandoned. Eckmann will return to Ketchikan, Alaska, to-day. The weather continues unsettled.

DECLINES TO SERVE FRANCE AGAIN AS PREMIER



ARISTIDE BRIAND who to-day decided he would not become Premier of France for the eleventh time. His ten terms as cabinet head are a world record.

John McLellan Is Chosen Inspector Of Detective Squad

Changes in Police Department Completed on Recommendations From New Chief to Board of Police Commissioners; Constables McPherson and Cremer Appointed Sergeants; Other Alterations Made; Mrs. North Gives Reasons for Dismissal of John Fry.

Appointment of a new chief of the plain clothes department, creation of two new sergeants and several other elevations and salary changes were authorized by the Board of Police Commissioners yesterday on the recommendation of Chief of Police Thomas Heatley.

Harry J. O'Leary, a member of the force since 1903, who was deputy chief and head of detectives for a number of years, was placed on superannuation owing to ill-health and absence from duty. Mr. O'Leary has been ill for the last six months.

Sergeant John McLellan was promoted to the rank of detective inspector in charge of the plain clothes department. Sgt. McLellan has been a member of the force since 1911.

All recommendations of the chief were adopted on motion of Commissioner Andrew McGavin, seconded by Commissioner Mrs. North.

CHANGES LISTED

The other changes authorized were as follows: Promotion of Charles Cremer, who joined in 1910, to the rank of sergeant, filling the vacancy caused by the promotion of Thomas Heatley to Chief.

An extra \$5 a month salary for Constable J. Ireland as relief man for the sergeants.

An extra \$5 a month salary for Detective T. H. Bamford, in charge of fingerprint work.

TWO NEW CONSTABLES

Appointment of David P. Donaldson, 26, and Alex. T. Nichol, 28, to positions on the force, filling the vacancies created by promotion of Constables McPherson and Cremer.

Promotion of Thomas Stevenson to the rank of first class constable at the regular salary of \$142.50 per month. The two new men taken on the force were interviewed by the commission at the Mayor's suggestion.

MRS. NORTH'S STATEMENT

The City Police Court was crowded for the meeting. Those who could not get into the room itself jammed the main doorway or crowded up the fire escape and peered through the windows. Standing room was at a premium.

An answer to statements made by Mayor Ansonb at last Monday's council meeting in regard to the police situation was made by Commissioner Mrs. North after the regular business of the meeting had been finished.

Mrs. North read her remarks from a prepared paper in her hands, after which she was asked to read a letter from the Mayor. She read the letter and dismissed Mr. Fry.

JOBLESS COST WINNIPEG BIG OUTLAY NOW

Winnipeg, Jan. 24.—It cost Winnipeg \$23,000 last week to feed and lodge its unemployed single men. Now the city council is taking steps to find out if all the jobless this cared for were deserving. One alderman charges Winnipeg is being "bled to death" by expenditures for unemployment relief.

Young men from all parts of Canada were flocking here to register as unemployed, he said at a council meeting yesterday evening. Registration had rapidly mounted during last week despite the fact that work was provided for several hundred men.

GANDHI IS TO BE FREE NEXT WEEK

New Delhi, India, Jan. 24.—It was expected this evening that Mahatma Gandhi, Indian Nationalist leader, would be released from jail either tomorrow or soon after.

CANADA MAY SEND HERRIDGE TO POST IN U.S.

Rumor Ottawa Barrister Will Be Minister Revived on Bennett's Tour

Ottawa, Jan. 24.—Premier R. B. Bennett will be accompanied on his visit to Washington by W. D. Herridge, K.C., of Ottawa. Rumors recently said Mr. Herridge might be appointed Canadian Minister to the United States, but nothing of an official nature has been indicated.

He Will Accompany Premier When He Visits Washington Next Week

The Prime Minister will confer with President Hoover, visit the Canadian Legation and call on the United States Secretary of State.

The St. Lawrence waterway project will probably be discussed by Premier Bennett during his meeting with President Hoover.

Mr. Bennett expects to leave Ottawa toward the end of next week for the United States capital.

TIGHTENING OF BORDER RULES NOW RUMORED

Windsor Hears U.S. Officials May Increase Restrictions For Commuters

Windsor, Ont., Jan. 24.—Reports persisted here to-day that new restrictions on border commuting were contemplated by the United States immigration authorities.

John L. Zubrick, district director of immigration at Detroit, and Harry F. Hawley, United States consul in Windsor, indicated, however, they had no knowledge of new restrictive measures being applied.

The reports gained circulation throughout this area when it was learned the old war between the U.S. Labor and State Departments had broken out anew with the former department determined definitely to halt border commuting.

PILOT TO FLY FROM CHINA TO PHILIPPINES

Los Angeles Aviator on Way From Shanghai to Canton For Start

Shanghai, Jan. 24.—O. W. Brophy, Los Angeles aviator who was forced down by fog at Chuchow yesterday while flying his biplane from Shanghai to Canton on the first leg of an initial flight between China and the Philippines, plans to continue the hop to-morrow.

EX-GOVERNOR OF CANADA NOW IN ENGLAND

Lord and Lady Willingdon Arrive at Liverpool as Half Gale Blows

Liverpool, Eng., Jan. 24.—A half gale was blowing when the steamship Montclare, bearing Viscount and Lady Willingdon from Canada, arrived in the Mersey this afternoon. The vessel did not come to the landing stage and passengers were taken off by a tender.

A considerable number of newspapermen who boarded the liner to interview the Viceroy-designate of India, were received courteously, but he explained that as he was still technically Governor-General of Canada, he felt himself restricted to granting an interview. He readily expressed the deep gratitude of Lady Willingdon and himself for the whole-hearted kindness he had been bestowed on them during their sojourn in Canada.

ARSENAL LOSES TO CHELSEA IN GREAT BATTLE

Crowd of 75,000 Jams Stamford Bridge Grounds as Holders of English Cup Are Beaten 2 to 1; Sheffield Wednesday, Another Powerful Eleven, Loses to Barnsley by Like Score; Everton Piles up 6 to 0 Score Against Crystal Palace.

TEST VOTE IN BRITISH HOUSE WEDNESDAY

Election Predicted If MacDonald Ministry Defeated on Trades Disputes Bill

Premier and Lloyd George, Liberal Leader, Yesterday Held Conference

By GEORGE HAMBLETON, Canadian Press Staff Correspondent

London, Jan. 24.—The MacDonald Government is facing two-way trouble. The division on second reading of the Trades Disputes Bill, now scheduled for 11 p.m. next Wednesday, will be critical. The prediction is common that if the government is defeated it will ask for dissolution of Parliament.

WILL NOT VOTE

The majority of Liberals have indicated their intention to abstain from voting on the division, thus allowing the bill to go to committee, but their abstention from the division lobbies is accompanied by a demand for so many amendments to the bill that many Labor members are wondering if the bill will be worth the trouble after the hurry-burry is done. Also there are about a dozen Liberals, led by Sir John Simon, who intend to oppose the bill.

If Sir John Simon can take sufficient Liberal with him into the opposition lobbies, the scales against the government may be turned despite the majority of Liberal abstentions.

MOSLEY GROUP

Within its own ranks too the government is finding difficulties. The group led by Sir Oswald Mosley, continues to press for a conference on unemployment. A special meeting of the parliamentary Labor Party has been called for Tuesday to discuss it.

LEADERS CONFERENCE

Tongues are wagging over the private meetings of Premier MacDonald and Right Hon. David Lloyd George, Liberal leader, yesterday, when the latter is reported to have confessed to the Prime Minister his inability to guarantee complete Liberal "safety" in connection with the Trades Disputes Bill, owing to the defections to the banner of Sir John Simon, who has promised open hostility to the bill.

PRISONERS REMOVED WHILE JAIL BURNS

Wetumpka, Ala., Jan. 24.—Fire swept through one building of the Wetumpka State Prison early to-day and caused the removal of several hundred prisoners, many of whom were women, but the flames were brought under control after a battle of nearly two hours.

There was no disorder, according to the county sheriff's office, and the prisoners were lined up in the yard when the flames were brought under control.

SCOTLAND BEATS FRANCE TO-DAY IN RUGBY MATCH

Edinburgh, Scotland, Jan. 24.—Scotland defeated France in an international rugby match at Murray field to-day by 6 to 4. Scotland led by 6 to 0 at half-time. Fifty thousand people saw the match.

FEBRUARY, 1932, IS CHOSEN FOR DISARMAMENT CONFERENCE

Geneva, Jan. 24.—The Council of the League of Nations to-day formally invited the governments of the world to assemble for a general disarmament conference February 2, 1932.

The date was designated as the first Tuesday after the session of the Council in January, 1932, which will begin January 25 and last about a week. Geneva was designated conditionally as the place for the conference.

The city finally chosen must give guarantees for satisfactory entertainment of the delegations, the press and the public.

The president of the conference will be appointed at the Council session next May, which also will name finally the place where the conference will be held.

In a short address before the Council to-day Dr. Jettus Curtius, German Foreign Minister, declared the draft convention constructed by the Preparatory Disarmament Commission must not be considered as binding on the government conference.

MAN CONFESSES TRAFFIC GUARD KILLED BY HIM

Admission Follows Capture of Two Men After Shooting in Medford, Oregon

Medford, Ore., Jan. 24.—Police to-day announced a man who said he was J. C. Adams, thirty-three, had admitted killing Sam Prescott, Ashland traffic officer, who was shot to death in the downtown district here this morning.

Prescott had stopped an automobile and was talking to its occupants when he was shot in the back. Three more bullets were fired into his body as he lay on the pavement.

Witnesses said Prescott attempted to return the fire, but his pistol caught in the holster.

The killers fled and their car was later found abandoned at Shady Springs in the Shady Mountain.

A hastily formed posse immediately entered the district. Soon two men were captured and brought in for questioning.

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HOT DEBATES AT PORT ALBERNI

Initial Council Session Is Marked By Stormy Discussion

Special to The Times
Port Alberni, Jan. 24.—The first meeting of the 1931 council was held on Thursday evening and was greeted by one of the largest audiences ever packed into the City Hall. The meeting culminated in a tangled argument over procedure, when Ald. Turner tried to introduce, as a question of privilege, the suspension of Works Foreman Fowle. Mayor Kendall ruled him out of order, and Alderman Fleming took up the fight, and was also ruled out of order. A motion that the ruling of the chair be not sustained was also ruled out of order, but an amendment to the motion which would have adjourned the meeting was ruled in order.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

E. Hallor, chiropractor, electro-therapist, 620 View Street, evenings 7 to 9.
Washington's English Playing Cards at 61, 11 Smith's Picture Shop, 619 View Street.
H. H. Lacey, chiropractic specialist, 512-3 Pemberton Building.
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Two-plate recital—Miss Jessie Smith and Olive Campbell, First United Church, Friday, Feb. 20, assisted by Mr. F. J. Mitchell, baritone soloist, and Master Billy Inglis, boy soprano. Proceeds for organ fund.

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TURNOVER TAX RUMORED PLAN OF BENNETT

Montreal Gazette Says Two Per Cent Will Be Federal Figure Proposed

States Bennett Cabinet Also Proposes Abolition of Sales Tax Exemptions

Montreal, Jan. 24.—The Montreal Gazette this morning published the following dispatch from Ottawa:
"A two per cent turnover tax to be imposed on manufacturers and wholesalers only, no increase in the income tax; abolition of a number of exemptions under the sales tax, and relatively few changes in the tariff are believed to be the principal fiscal proposals to be submitted to Parliament by Premier R. B. Bennett.
It has been known for some time that unless the government decided to engage in heavy borrowing, the treasury, with declining revenues and rapidly mounting expenditures, would have no escape from onerous taxation increases. But the policy of the government is understood to be that of drastic economy and with a carefully imposed tax on business turnover, the need of borrowing will not be great."

CUSTOMS REVENUE FALLS
With a serious drop in customs revenue and with the income and sales taxes just holding their own, there is expected to be a deficit of about \$80,000,000 to be met, and it has been computed approximately that a two per cent turnover tax would not fall far short of wiping out the estimated deficit."

JOHN M'LELLAN IS CHOSEN INSPECTOR OF DETECTIVE SQUAD

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for inefficiency," said Mrs. North. "I was out of the board only twenty minutes, but I have more knowledge than you, who have been on the board three years."

Mrs. North then queried the mayor about the collection of the local brewery and the collection of rentals on behalf of a company, of which is the agent, from various premises in the city.

READING FROM PAPER
You accused me of reading from a prepared paper. Did you not in your council meeting read every word from a carefully prepared paper made out by the city solicitor? And I might say, the expectation of two or three aldermen you and the rest acted like a lot of children," she said.

"Mr. Chairman, I speak as a good police commissioner when I say I think you and some of the City Council should stand in your resignations."

"In my first meeting I dealt with business in a firm, yet gentle way. You have interfered with this and caused a sort of public disagreement, which I feel sure, is ignorance on the part of most of the public. It is therefore necessary for me to expose conditions."

FRY'S CASE
"You want to know the inefficiency of Mr. Fry which you called un-British posing scandal, but since you called for it I will tell you part of the inefficiency of Mr. Fry."

"Do you not think when detectives enter rooming houses and come out without making a report it is inefficiency?"

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"Do you not think when constables and detectives enter wrestling places and find a fireman's duty, it is inefficiency?"

"Do you not think having constables and detectives in front of picture theatres is inefficiency?"

"Do you not think it inefficiency when a delegation calls on the board and suggests when the chief sends his wife in a Chinese store as a stool pigeon, after hours to make a purchase, he takes the Chinaman to court and convicts him?"

"Do you not think it inefficiency for a chief to let boy offenders to come where they get alcohol with a promise of discharge? After a written confession, fined and treated the boys the same as any habitual drunk."

"Recently we had a case in court where two young men were supplied with liquor at the Station Hotel. They are at present serving time in Oakalla, but up to the present the woman is free from any charges. I would like to know why no charge was laid against her."

"I understand Chief Fry would not co-operate with Chief McMullin of the Provincial Police."

"I can assure the citizens that Chief McMullin will co-operate with Chief Fry to the best interests of both departments, and I can assure the citizens they will receive courtesy and kindness from the police department in future."

MAYOR'S REPLY
The mayor then answered, taking up first Mrs. North's reference to his personal business connections:
"My privilege as a chartered accountant to audit the books of a brewery or any other company. As far as collecting rentals are concerned, I am acting for a company and it is not my business to find out what the tenants are doing," he said.

"As far as Chief Fry's actions are concerned, as long as I have been on the council, I have never heard of a machine used in drilling, and the commission has done all the hiring. Incidentally some of the young men have done excellent work lately. Constable Belcher in particular, having done yeoman service," said His Worship.

HAWKES CASE
"In regard to the Hawkes case, I think the chief acted properly. It was a case of a dispute between a man and his wife which the chief tried to settle amicably. When Mr. Hawkes brought it up before the commission we supported the chief's actions."

"The commission of the peace brought forward by Mrs. North are beyond me entirely. It would be impossible for the chief to follow up every detective and see if he went into

WHEN MISSOURI MOB BURNED MAN ALIVE



Wrapped in smoke and flames, this little schoolhouse near Maryville, Mo., became a funeral pyre for Raymond Gunn, a negro, who was seized from the hands of sheriff's officers by a mob which made a public holiday of his death by fire. This remarkable picture shows a jeering crowd of 2,000 persons circling the blazing building while Gunn, chained to the roof inside, was burned alive. He was charged with having assaulted and murdered Miss Velma Colter, nineteen-year-old white teacher. The flames were fed by gasoline from the automobiles of members of the mob.

a theatre and this cannot be called inefficiency on his part anymore than can the lining up of theatre crowds."

Prior to Mrs. North's remarks, Commissioner McMullin had stated:

"In view of what has transpired since our last meeting I would like to say that I am preparing a report for submission to the people and I will have it ready as soon as possible."

USE TROOPS TO HANDLE ENGLISH FOOTBALL CROWD

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35,000 SEE GAME
Barnsley performed before a crowd of 35,000 at home, had much the better of the first half play against the Wednesday. After Harvey had missed a fine chance to score for Barnsley, the same player headed in and his side led by his goal at half time. After Harvey had scored, the Wednesday attacked persistently, but ran into a solid defence.

The stubbornness of Barnsley against the Wednesday's second half strenuous efforts were responsible for the upsetting of the league champions. The Elades made heroic efforts to hack their way through, but the coal miners resisted until Ball equalized. Then they sprang back and Curran scored a clever goal, which gave Barnsley an advantage they held till the end.

Results of fourth round matches follow:
Crystal Palace 0, Everton 0.
Bradford City 0, Wolverhampton Wanderers 0.
Bury 1, Exeter City 2.
Leeds United 4, Newcastle United 4.
Grimsby Town 1, Manchester United 0.

Chelsea 2, Arsenal 1.
Southport 2, Blackpool 1.
Blackburn Rovers 5, Bristol Rovers 1.
Bradford 2, Burnley 0.
Bolton Wanderers 1, Sunderland 1.
Sheffield United 4, Notts County 1.
West Bromwich Albion 1, Tottenham Hotspurs 0.

Watford 2, Brighton and Hove Albion 0.
Brentford 0, Portsmouth 1.
Barnsley 2, Sheffield Wednesday 1.
Birmingham 2, Port Vale 0.
Results of league football matches follow:

ENGLISH LEAGUE—FIRST DIVISION
Liverpool 1, Aston Villa 1.
Middlesbrough 2, Huddersfield Town 0.
SECOND DIVISION
Charlton Athletic 0, Bristol City 0.
Notts Forest 2, Millwall 1.
Southampton 3, Reading 2.
Swansea Town 2, Plymouth Argyle 0.

THIRD DIVISION
Southern Section
Conway City 3, Norwich City 0.
Fulham 4, Thames 2.
Swindon 3, Clapton Orient 1.
Walsall 0, Queen's Park Rangers 2.
Northern Section
Accrington Stanley 3, Carlisle United 0.

Barrow 1, Rotherham United 0.
Chorley 0, Hull City 4.
Crewe Alexandra 2, Wrexham 1.
Doncaster Rovers 0, Lincoln City 1.
Gateshead 0, Hartlepool United 0.
Halifax Town 1, Darlington 0.
New Brighton 2, Nelsan 0.

Rochdale 1, Tranmere Rovers 3.
Southport 0, York City, not played.
Stockport County 4, Wigan Borough 1.

SCOTTISH LEAGUE—FIRST DIVISION
Aberdeen 1, Celtic 1.
Clyde 2, Airdrie 1.

SUN-TAN INITIALS AVERT BABY MIX-UPS



Newly arrived infants at Beth Israel Hospital, New York, get an early introduction to sun tan. As a certain method of preventing mix-ups in newborn babies, the artificial sunlight of the ultra violet ray is used to stencil their initials on their bodies. Above is shown a young patient being "branded" while hospital officials look on.

LATEST BOOKS ON SHELVES OF LOCAL LIBRARY

"The World in 2030" By the Earl of Birkenhead a Noteworthy Volume

"Go West, Young Man, Go West" Tells of Young Englishman's Struggles

Books to please every taste have this week been added to the shelves of the Victoria Public Library. Outstanding among the extensive list of non-fiction is "The World in 2030," by the Earl of Birkenhead, a book which caused a good deal of controversy when first published. "The Menace of Nationalism in Education," by J. P. Scott, as a timely warning to school teachers who believe that children should be told facts about their own country alone. Of great interest to the scientifically inclined is "An Introduction to the Study of Wave Mechanics," by de Broglie, 1929 winner of the Nobel Prize for physics. For young people there is "The Boy's Book of Conjurings," published by Ward, Lock and Co. Ltd. A provocative volume in the fiction list is "Go West, Young Man, Go West," by Magnus Pyke, which tells of a young Englishman's struggles in the Columbia and particularly in Vancouver.

The complete list follows:

NON-FICTION
"Modes and Manners: Ornaments," by Max von Boehm, is the story of important trifles of costume and fashion, such as games, gloves, fans, lace and trinkets, told with knowledge, wit and insight.
"Song and Lighter," by Arthur Guiterman, is a collection of humorous and light verse by a modern American writer.

"Three-legged Tour in Greece," by Dame Ethel Smith, the famous composer and conductor, describes with energy and enjoyment her travels in Greece.

"Atlantis in America," by Spence, deals mainly with the evidence for the survival of Atlantean civilization in the American continent.

"The Growth of the World and Its Inhabitants," by H. H. Swinerton, deals with the story of the growth of the world and of its living inhabitants, as recorded in the rocks.

"Water and Gold," by Lewis Pelen, is a thrilling account of personal adventure—a story of a Swedish American who began life as a chimney sweep, became a deep sea sailor, and then a gold hunter in Africa.

"Diesel Engines for Land and Marine Work," by A. P. Chalkley, in the first book to be published dealing solely with this type of engine.

"The Industrial Development of Birmingham and the Black Country," by G. Allen, is an account of the economic development of a region hitherto neglected by historians. The history of the area is traced from 1680 to 1927.

"Personality and Science," by L. N. Hough, is a collection of five lectures given at the College of Rochester, New York. It is a comprehensive book on the science of political economy.

"Economics of Welfare," by A. C. "Social Law in the Spiritual World," by R. M. Jones, contains certain studies in the human and divine inter-relationship.

"Everyday Art at School and at Home," by D. D. Sawyer, is a book for children, parents, teachers and students, and is based on modern child psychology. It is profusely illustrated.

"The World in 2030," by the Earl of Birkenhead, is a series of speculative predictions dealing with the possible development of the world during the next hundred years.

"Andromeda in Wimpie Street," by Dorner Creston, is the romance of Elizabeth Barrett Browning. It is a direct and informal book which makes the romantic incidents of the love idyll easily understandable.

"Science for All," by Sir Charles Strickland, is divided into seven sections, dealing with astronomy, physics, geology, botany, zoology, human physiology and the story of man.

"The Reclamation of Emoor Forest," by C. S. Orwin, is of interest to every student of economic history; it has to do with the step by which work was done after the inclosure of land in the Hanoverian period.

"The Boy's Book of Conjurings," published by Ward, Lock and Co.

pany Limited, is a book of tricks with cards, coins, hats, handkerchiefs, second sight and metemeric tricks, chemistry, magic, puzzles, and shadowgraphy.

"The Revolver Republic," by G. B. Geary, reveals for the first time the true history of intrigue, plotting, treachery and murder involved in the titanic struggle for the Rhine.

"The Private Citizen in Public Social Work," by Hilda Jennings, is an account of the voluntary children's care committee system in London.

"Animals in the Wild and in Captivity," by E. G. Boulenger, contributes greatly to our understanding of some of the most interesting problems of animal life.

"An Introduction to the Study of Wave Mechanics," by de Broglie, the winner of the 1929 Nobel Prize for physics, contains an authoritative and complete account of the new dynamic theory.

"Proving Our Case," by W. N. Edwards, is a scientific exposition of the nature and effects of alcohol.

"A Century of Work for Animals," by E. G. Fairholme, is the history of the R.S.P.C.A. from 1824 to 1924.

"The Risen Sun," by C. C. Martindale, is a book of impressions of Australia and New Zealand.

"Practical Plant Ecology," by A. G. Tansley, is a guide for beginners in field study of plant communities.

"Biology and Human Welfare," by Pearson and Hunt, is a textbook in biology.

"The Long View," by Mary E. Richmond, is a collection of papers and addresses on various subjects, such as charity organizations.

"Theory of the Cost-price System," by Kappell, propounds a new system, differing from the "profit" system.

"Menace of Nationalism in Education," by J. P. Scott, stresses the peril to world peace that egotism, prejudice against foreign countries, distrust and hatred, taught in the schools, are fostering.

"Exploring for Plants," by David Fairchild, interests the layman with adventures in securing plants and gives information to the botanist in a popular form.

OTHER BOOKS
Other books received by the library are: "Business Man's English," by Bartholomew and Hubert; "Diabetes," by B. P. Smith; "Soup to Nuts," by Nancy Carver; "Reveries and Problems in Accounting," by Samuels and Walker; "De Jure Belli ac Pacis Libri Tres," by Grotius; "French-English, English-French Dictionary," edited by Douglas; "Private French Course, Part 1," by Siepmann; "Next War," "The Plant in Relation to Water," by Maximov; "The Motor Mechanic," by Douglas; "Sir J. C. Boese," "Napoleon and Palestine," by Philip Guedalla.

FICTION
"Diary of a Provincial Lady," by F. M. Delafeld, is a readable life-like and entertaining novel.

"Golden Altar," by Joan Sutherland, is a study of modern French politics.

"Good Sir John," by Phoebe Gaye, is a novel centering about the character and the witty and witty exploits of Sir John Falstaff, with the life of fourteenth century England as a background.

"Queen Anne's Lace," by Mrs. Francis Parkington-Keyes, gives us glimpses of Washington's social life, and some of the political side of an appointment to Congress.

"Strike," by M. H. Vorse, is a novel on labor conditions in a North Carolina town, reconstructing down, strike, picketing, riots and displays of mob violence more rapidly across the scene.

"Murder at Red Pass," by Aresby, is a mystery story.

FINGERPRINTING PLAN FOR TAXI DRIVERS OF TORONTO ENDS

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art, Senior Magistrate Emerson Costworth and County Judge F. M. Morson.

CHURCH LEADERS HEARD
The representatives of the fellowship, Rev. Dr. Selen Bland, one-time pastor at Wesley College, Winnipeg, and Rabbi Maurice M. Eisenblatt, have been invited to appear before the commission to specify charges the police commission had challenged the right of free speech.

Rabbi Eisenblatt declared the organization he represented was "strictly non-Communist, peaceful and noble purposes." Yet he added, attempts to the part of Fellowship officers to go to halls for meetings had been repeatedly frustrated by police interference.

During the proceedings there were spasmodic outbursts of heated charges between the principles, with Dr. Bland and Judge Morson in the leading roles.

The present controversy started with the refusal of the police to permit certain organizations very outspoken criticism of affairs to hold parades at public meetings.

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Canadian Immigration Rules Are Too Strict Delegates Were Told

Canadian Chamber of Commerce Heard Interesting Address From Exporters' Association While in Hongkong; Suggested Modifications in Act to Bring in Families of Merchants and to Allow More Students to Enter This Country for Education.

Claiming that Canadian immigration rules in regard to the entry of Chinese are too strict and should be modified in the interest of Canadian-Chinese trade and commerce, an address was read in Hongkong to the Canadian Chamber of Commerce delegation which visited China and Japan last fall, by the Wah On Exporters' Association of Hongkong.

The association suggested that the immigration clause, admitting a merchant, but not his wife or children, should be changed so that a Chinese merchant could come to Canada and make his home. The association also explained to the Canadian delegates why so many Chinese students take their courses in the United States. The Canadian immigration laws say that a Chinese student may enter Canada for the purpose of attendance at any Canadian university or college author-

ized by status or charter to confer degree, whilst a student may enter the United States and pursue any regular course or attend a preliminary or preparatory school.

Delegates from Canada were struck by the sincerity of the Chinese who presented the address, and said that they would do all in the power to have the immigration rules made more elastic. The Chinese were anxious for commercial and social contact between their country and Canada, and were convinced that the easiest way of bringing them about was to modify the Canadian immigration rulings.

The complete address follows:

"We, the undersigned, have the honor to submit the following for your sympathetic consideration:

"Canada, as a coming industrial and trading power, together with her geographical advantages, is in a position to be the world's greatest trade distributing point, linking the old world and the Far East. On the other hand, China, notwithstanding her present political unrest, will ultimately become the world's mightiest industrial

country—she is in fact, one of the greatest absorbing markets to-day, and will be more so when her internal unrest is settled.

"The strict leaders of some of the industrial countries have, since the beginning of the twentieth century, and especially after the Great War, made sacrifices and concessions to cultivate the friendship and understanding of the Chinese people with the ultimate aim of promoting trade. To this end, the United States Government has done more than any other power, as evidenced by the great number of Chinese returned students from the United States, many of whom are now leaders of Chinese industries or holding important government posts, as a result of the seed thus planted. Many private and government contracts during the past few years, running into many millions of gold dollars, have been awarded to North American firms, and more recently, the contract for a steel bridge to be erected spanning the Pearl River from the Bund in Canton City to Honam Island has been awarded to an American firm.

"France, however, quick to appreciate the benefit to the American people resulting from the education of the Chinese, offered at the conclusion of the Great War, inducements and facilities to Chinese students desiring to go to that country to study, and a considerable number embraced the opportunity. What fruit France will ultimately gather from the education of the students, time alone can tell, but it demonstrates a clear understanding on the part of thoughtful people of the value of a country of encouraging students from China, where the evolution of conditions is gradually pointing to the making of a great industrial power and the world's largest absorbing market, backed by a population of 400,000,000 souls.

"Friendship and understanding are the forerunners of trade, and should be cultivated to the highest possible degree. A thorough study of past

Chinese-Canadian relations reveals that efforts in this direction have been entirely lacking on the contrary, what attention and efforts that have been devoted to the important question of Chinese-Canadian relations are most unfortunately directed to the fostering of agitation and misunderstanding, which are stumbling blocks to better relations between the two countries. The time will come, and we can safely say the time has come, when Canada must seek a substantial market for her surplus productions. The geographical advantages of the country and the unequalled communications across the Pacific offered by the Canadian Pacific have placed Canada in a better position than any trading power to accomplish that end.

"With this in view, all Canadian legislation affecting Chinese-Canadian harmony should be carefully studied and judiciously rectified. Among these, the Canadian Immigration Act, as of 1922 should be given careful and primary attention. The ordinance referred to is in reality an exclusion measure enacted for that purpose.

"According to the said act, section 5 reads as follows:

ENTRY AND LANDING

"5. The entry to or landing in Canada of persons of Chinese origin, irrespective of allegiance or citizenship, is confined to the following classes, that is to say:

"(a) The members of the diplomatic corps or other government representatives, their suites and their servants and consuls and consular agents.

"(b) The children born in Canada of parents of Chinese race or descent, who have left Canada for educational or other purposes, on substantiating their identity to the satisfaction of the controller at the port or place where they seek to enter on their return.

"(c) 1. Merchants as defined by

such regulation as the minister may prescribe.

"2. Students coming to Canada for the purpose of attendance at any Canadian university or college authorized by statute or charter to confer degrees.

"The encouragement of Chinese students to receive a Canadian education is an important factor in the promotion of Chinese-Canadian trade. Here again the Canadian Immigration Act of 1922 presents another obstacle.

"Canadian legislation governing the admission of Chinese students is as follows:

"Students coming to Canada for the purpose of attendance at any Canadian university or college authorized by statute or charter to confer degrees.

"Whilst the object of the above regulation is that only Chinese students of university standard are admissible, the United States regulations are more in accord with the interests of United States relations and trade. In other words, the admission extends to persons having a desire to pursue some regular course of study in the higher branches of learning and students of elementary or preparatory schools.

"Some of the effects upon the United States of the education of large numbers of Chinese are interestingly summarized by H.E. Dr. Wellington Koo, former minister to Washington, later to London, and more recently of Foreign Affairs, himself the product of mission education in China, and college education in the United States: 'With the arrival of increasing number of Chinese students in the United States, there has been noted a gradual but perceptible change in sentiment on the part of the American people toward China and the Chinese. Undoubtedly the close contact of the thoughtful classes of American people with the Chinese students, usually the pick and flower of China's youth, has led to a better appreciation of the qualities of the Chinese people and the character of Chinese civilization. A clearer understanding of the problems of the Far East and a more sympathetic endorsement of the aspirations of the Chinese have been two happy consequences. The result of the Spanish-American War probably has had as much to do with the former, but the influence of the growing numbers of Chinese students in the United States must have been predominant in regard to the latter.'

"The relation that Chinese merchants and students bear to Chinese-Canadian understanding and trade is unquestionably a very important factor, hence we submit the foregoing comparison between the American and Canadian regulations, in the hope that through your kind offices the necessary action may be taken by the proper authorities, whereby all obstacles to better Chinese-Canadian relations and trade will be given careful and immediate attention."

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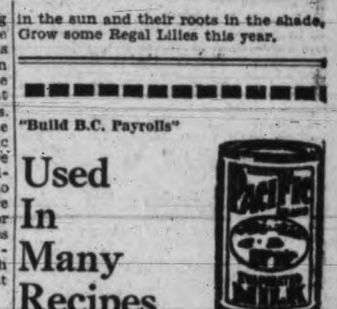
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THE REGAL LILY

By JOHN HUTCHISON, F.R.H.S.

If the late Dr. E. H. Wilson had never made another plant introduction besides Lillium Regale, his name would still be handed down to generations yet unborn as one of the greatest benefactors to ornamental gardening.

Twenty-seven years ago he discovered it in a semi-arid valley in the Sino-Tibetan borderland and there he records it as having slender stems from two to four feet tall, crowned with from one to several funnel-shaped flowers. Later he wrote of it: "In addition to the western gardens the discoverer would proudly rest his reputation with the Regal Lily." This has been amply justified, in spite of the fact that it has taken over a quarter of a century to make it popular with the average gardener.

It is a fact that it received the Award of Merit from the Royal Horticultural Society as far back as 1915. But owing to the war it was not taken up in the same way as would have been the case in peace times, because English gardeners had abandoned ornamental gardening for the time being, and were either doing their bit at the front or were devoting their ground to the production of food.

STRONG BUT DELICATE Under good conditions, and when the bulbs are planted in their permanent sites, at two years old, they have attained the height of seven feet and as many as thirty-three flowers have been recorded on one stem. It is, of course, understood that the bulbs

have been left undisturbed from the time of planting.

Sir Herbert Maxwell, the well-known British horticulturalist, said of Lillium Regale: "It has the constitution of a cart horse and the refinement of a thoroughbred." This is absolutely true. No plant could have a stronger constitution and no lily in cultivation is more refined.

Like all other plants, if they are to be grown to the best advantage, Lillium Regale has its likes and dislikes. Its chief dislike is disturbance and this it resents very emphatically. To get the best out of this lily, plant two-year-old bulbs and let the roots go down. That is, do not spread the root out as one would with the roots of a rose tree.

Now some people will say, "But the lily bulbs I received have no roots. They had all been cut off." Quite so, a number of growers do cut the roots off all lilies, just as the Japanese growers of Lillium Auratum are in the habit of doing, with the result that the lilies are never a real success. But the reason for this is that the Japanese lilies are so short-lived in our gardens is that the bulbs have been treated in this manner.

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Steady Growth of Victoria College

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When Affiliated With University of British Columbia Ten Years Ago, College Had Enrolment of Seventy-five; While Now It Has a Student Body Three Time That Size; Progress Made in All Directions; Student Government Successful.

Bringing the opportunities for higher education to a greater number by permitting them to study in their own city, Victoria College stands today, proof of the wisdom of those who brought about its inauguration. Ten years after its affiliation with the University of British Columbia, the institution has fulfilled the promise of those who were instrumental in its founding.

It is a mark of distinction for a city to possess within its limits a college. Victoria has the honor of having the only affiliated college of its kind in western Canada, where men and women can obtain the first two years of instruction before specializing at the mother university.

In 1920 Victoria College was granted affiliation with the University of British Columbia and opened its first term in the Victoria High School under the principalship of Dr. E. B. Paul, with a total enrollment of seventy-five. Courses in the first two years of arts and science were offered with great success.

The next year found the college established at Craigdarroch Castle, which was rented by the Victoria School Board. Since then, the college has progressed rapidly, increasing its enrollment and courses each year. During its short existence, a brilliant record has been created in all its departments. Its graduates have won wide fame and have blazed a pathway which has not been equalled by any other institution of similar size.

ALMA MATER SOCIETY FOUNDED
With the beginning of the college came the founding of an Alma Mater Society, comprised of the students and governed by a student council. This council consisted of a president, secretary-treasurer, representatives of men's and women's athletics, and a representative of the literary and scientific clubs. V. Brendt was the first council president, and honor is due him and his associates for the high standard set for following years.

In 1927, Professor W. H. Gage reorganized the council, adding a first year representative to the executive body, and dividing the secretary-treasurer into two offices.

The students' council has charge of all student activities—literary, social and athletic. This year President R. V. Maclean and his executive are upholding the high standard set by their predecessors. The ten years of student government have been a success, and the Alma Mater Society appreciates the privilege given them by the faculty in controlling the non-academic programme of the college.

LITERARY SOCIETY
The active career of the literary society, one of the oldest organizations of the college, has been ably sponsored by Miss Jeanette Cann, head of the department of English and philosophy. Under its auspices, debates, assemblies, lantern lectures, and other forms of entertainment have been successfully presented. Miss G. Straight, the present president, is actively directing a programme which promises to uphold the splendid tradition set in former years.

The players' club, once a section of the literary society, was reconstituted in 1922, under the inspiration and guidance of Ira Dittworth, its first honorary president. During the term of office of its first president, George Vincent, two plays, a melodrama and a comedy, were presented.

In succeeding years, under the direction of Madame Sanderson-Morgin, Miss J. Cann and Miss R. Humphrey, the club has gained the full support of the student body and the interest

MAIN FACTOR IN FOUNDING OF COLLEGE



DR. E. B. PAUL
father and first principal of Victoria College, whose untiring work in the foundation of the institution and teaching and administration during his term of active office, has endeared him to hundreds of graduates.

of the people of Victoria. Last year, under the coaching of Major Bullock-Webster, the play "Come Out of the Kitchen" was presented with notable success; in the auditorium of the Victoria High School. The club at present is preparing, under the honorary presidency of Miss Ruth Humphrey, a play which it is hoped will equal or excel the successes of former years.

The science club, formed in 1928, is now represented in the council in common with the literary society. Under the guidance of Professor P. H. Elliott and Professor Gage, the club is rapidly gaining popularity, and promises a successful career.

ATHLETICS
In athletics, Victoria College has always been prominent. The popular rugby and basketball teams have won many honors, and each year bring new successes to the institution. From 1925, when the college first entered the City Intermediate Rugby League, teams have won high honors.

For the last two years they have won the provincial and city championships, and this season are continuing their splendid record. Many former players such as Paddy Walton, Gavin Hume, Charlie Ruttan and George Warnock have shown outstanding ability in rugby and have gained positions on the Victoria representative team.

Keen interest has been shown in

both the men's and women's basketball teams for a number of years. In 1926, the men's team reached the finals of the Intermediate City League and nearly won the provincial championship. Grass hockey has always been a popular sport among the girls, and this year, under the captaincy of Miss Rosalind Young, the team is making a creditable showing.

Various other sports are enjoyed by the students. Golf is popular and the "clubbists" are numerous this year. This term, the college has entered into more sports than ever, and with the organization of soccer, swimming and badminton teams, an active season is already under way.

ANNUAL INVASION
Victorians are familiar with the college's annual sports invasion of Vancouver. These have been most successful in former years, and have stimulated the friendship of the local students with those of the mother university.

A French club under the direction of Madame Sanderson-Morgin flourished for a number of years, but owing to the increased number of courses introduced at the college, the club gave way to the French distinction class which meets each week.

In 1928, the Victoria College Christian Union was formed. The union has added another feature to college life, the Bible class held at the Memorial Hall each week under the auspices of Dean Quinlan.

The publications of the college consist of the annual, first edited in 1924 by J. O. McNamee, and the handbook, which is published yearly at the opening of the fall session. In 1928, Professor Gage introduced this valuable guide to student affairs.

GROWING LIBRARY
The college library, seriously established in 1927 by Professor E. S. Farr, now contains over 3,000 volumes, and subscribes to approximately twenty-five publications. The library has become invaluable to the scholastic life of the college, and its present successful condition is largely due to the energy and thought of Professor Farr.

With the increase of the student body, it is imperative that library facilities increase in like proportion and it is hoped that the citizens of Victoria will continue to give their support to this department of the college.

Since 1924, the number of scholarships and prizes has been doubled, thus stimulating the students to higher scholastic efforts. The college is proud of such students as Edith Lucas, Leslie Howlett, Albert Whitley and Fred Brand, who have all won high distinction after completing their two years here. This year the college was honored by the announcement that James Gibson, who left in 1929, won the Rhodes Scholarship.

DR. PAUL, FIRST PRINCIPAL
Much of the success of Victoria College is due to its first principal, Dr. E. B. Paul, now principal-emeritus. Citizens of Victoria are familiar with his brilliant career, and he is well loved by hundreds of British Columbians who owe much to his inspiration. In 1927, he was succeeded by Professor P. H. Elliott, M.A., who now directs the college, assisted by a competent staff of eight, double the original faculty.

In 1928, night classes for school teachers and those who do not usually participate in the functions of the student body, they are greeted in the same status as they might attend. The college offers the first two years leading up to degrees in arts, science, agriculture and commerce. The student body in the last ten years has increased from seventy-five to 265, which shows that its facilities are appreciated and desired by the people of Victoria.

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While riding his bicycle without a light, a few nights ago, Cecil Smith spilled a traffic officer in the distance and jumped off. He argued with the officer when the latter stopped him. He tried again to argue himself out of a fine in city police court yesterday morning by explaining that when apprehended he was not riding his machine. Nevertheless the court assessed him \$3.

Brentwood

The West Saanich Women's Institute held the usual fortnightly card party on Wednesday evening at the Institute Hall, ten tables being engaged in play. First prize was won by table No 9 with twenty-four discs, the players being Mrs. Clow, Mrs. Lacourstere, Mr. Bourgeois and Mr. Caldwell. Tables No. 6 and 7, tied for second prize with twenty-two discs, the play-off resulting in the following as winners: Mrs. Johnston, Miss Jean Anderson, J. Brandon and H. Creed. Refreshments were served at the close of the game by the hostesses, Mrs. Haddon and Mrs. Anderson. The next game will be held on Wednesday, February 4.

Word was received by Mrs. W. O. Wallace, Brentwood Bay, on Tuesday of the passing away of her brother, John Clark, in Kengra, Ont. The late Mr. Clark will be remembered by many in this vicinity, having spent a holiday here last summer.

Three games of basketball will be played at the West Road Hall on Saturday evening, when three teams from Victoria will play the local quintettes. The teams will play as follows: Y.M.C.A. vs. West Road Seniors; Hanbury's vs. West Road Intermediates; Empress Laundry vs. Harmony's. Following the games a dance will be held. Ron Smith's orchestra supplies the music.

Mrs. Kelly of Vancouver is spending a holiday with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. L. Thomson, 7333 Saanich Road.

WITH THE BOY SCOUTS



Packs will meet at Pioneer Square, Quadra Street, at 2:30 o'clock to-morrow afternoon.
St. Mary's North—The pack had had good attendance since opening after the holidays. Two summer badges have been passed by Sixer Fred Gornall and Second Donald Pite. At the last meeting, Scoutmaster R. R. Forrester presented Scouts Jack Webster and Norman Hedley with their club instructor badges. Tenderpads Douglas Oddy and Eric Hall passed their health test and Douglas received his first year's service star.

Fairfield Troop—At the last meeting, the patrols of the troop were re-arranged as follows: Hawk Patrol—Patrol leader, Sid Gault; Scoutmaster, second; Quail Patrol—Patrol leader, Ed Hill-Tout; Scoutmaster, second. Crow Patrol—Patrol leader, Ken Macdonald; Scoutmaster, second. After this the patrol leaders took up knot tying instructions, with their patrols. A successful sing-song was held under the leadership of Ernie Edwards.

Third Victoria Troop—The troop held its third weekly meeting of the new year, last Friday. Instruction in tenderfoot, signaling and first aid was given by Scoutmaster Lythgoe. Acting Assistant Scoutmaster Kerr, George Knight and Patrol Leader G. Moore, Mr. Kerr introduced some lively games.

Sooke

A pleasant evening was spent on Tuesday, when a number of the residents of the district met at the Sooke Hall, where a miscellaneous shower and social evening was given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. James P. Noury. The couple were the recipients of many beautiful and useful gifts. Among them being a pretty china tea set from the Women's Auxiliary of Holy Trinity Church, of which Mrs. Noury is a member. Following the opening of the gifts refreshments were served and games and dancing were enjoyed.

The music for dancing was supplied by Mrs. Robert Acreman, Miss E. Pink, Miss V. Helgesen, Miss L. Grangie and C. A. Helgesen. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. C. Muir, Mr. and Mrs. C. Helgesen, Mr. and Mrs. F. Norton, Mr. and Mrs. J. Forrest, Mr. and Mrs. R. Strong, Mr. and Mrs. H. McBride, Mr. and Mrs. T. Blight, Mr. and Mrs. R. Seymour, Mr. and Mrs. G. Throup, Mr. and Mrs. R. Kirby, Mr. and Mrs. F. Gray, Mr. and Mrs. W. Welsh, Mr. and Mrs. H. Page, Mrs. P. Grangie, Mrs. R. Acreman, Mrs. E. Pontious, Mrs. W. Locke, Mrs. F. Brownsey, Mrs. W. Dicks, Mrs. A. Wilson, Mrs. W. Cairns, Mrs. R. Muford, Mrs. L. Gettle, Mrs. K. Cairns, Mrs. W. Wilson, Mrs. W. Charters Jr., Mrs. H. Sutherland, Misses O. Sutherland, G. Throup, E. Pink, A. McBride, Gladys and Lillian Grangie, V. Helgesen, Mr. P. Muir, Messrs. H. Goodrich, H. Wadman, G. Jones, J. Collins, H. Pontious, J. Briggs, E. Gray, T. Little, L. Muir.

The semi-monthly card party given under the auspices of the Sooke and North Sooke Women's Institute was held at the Belvedere Hotel on Wednesday evening. There were seven tables of what in play, the prizes being awarded to Miss A. McBride, ladies' first, and Mrs. Norma Milligan, gentlemen's first, while the consolation prizes went to Mrs. W. Cairns and Mr. F. Gray. The convener for the evening was Mrs. P. Muir. Refreshments were served.

A basketball game and dance will be held in Charter's Hall on Saturday evening, January 24, under the auspices of the Sooke Athletic Association.

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CHAPTER HOSTS AT BRIDGE AT NURSES' HOME

Florence Nightingale I.O.D.E. Entertained Large Number of Guests Yesterday Evening

The new Nurses' Home at the Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital was the scene of a delightful bridge party yesterday evening, held under the auspices of the Florence Nightingale Chapter, I.O.D.E. In aid of its work for the T.B. ward.

Mrs. George Lillie acted as the general convener, and Mrs. Kyle Symons, the regent, welcomed the guests at the entrance to the spacious lounge, which was attractively arranged with ferns and potted willows. Mrs. George Lillie and Mrs. H. Geake had charge of the bridge arrangements. Mrs. H. Catterall secured the prizes and Mrs. J. E. Jones was responsible for the delicious refreshments. The prizewinners were: First, Mrs. O. B. Brown and Mr. R. Dowell; second, Mrs. J. Donald and Mr. J. W. Givens; consolation, Mrs. Griffiths and Mr. Carlton.

Among the players were: Dr. and Mrs. E. M. Pearce, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Carmichael, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. McAllister, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Mitchell, and Mrs. G. M. Duncan, Capt. and Mrs. Hugh Massey, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Varney, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Givens, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. McKinnon, Alderman and Mrs. H. O. Litchfield, Mr. and Mrs. R. Sangster, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. McKinnon, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Little, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Melle, Mr. and Mrs. H. Lillie, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Savage, Mr. and Mrs. R. Dowdell, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. John Fry, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hyslop, Mr. and Mrs. B. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. L. Woodhouse, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Turner, Mr. and Mrs. B. Winters, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Lillie, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Carr, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. N. Middleton, Mrs. David Ross, Mrs. Chas. McAdam, Mrs. W. H. Vickers, Mrs. J. B. Wescott, Mrs. J. E. Huxtable, Mrs. A. S. Huxtable, Mrs. J. Donald, Mrs. MacKinley, Mrs. P. Hols, Mrs. Walter Walker, Mrs. Tom Brown, Mrs. Alex. Stewart, Mrs. Geo. Hartnell, Mrs. W. Press, Mrs. P. Hardman, Mrs. G. H. Scarrett, Mrs. J. R. Findlay, Mrs. A. J. Mortimer, Mrs. C. E. J. Millina, Mrs. G. Walls, Mrs. Jas. Baker, Mrs. W. Spivater, Mrs. E. Eve, Mrs. Reay Meldrum, Mrs. E. Jackson, Mrs. D. A. McDonald, Mrs. W. H. Lawson, Mrs. P. Cowden, Mrs. W. A. Sturrock, Mrs. S. E. Grant, Mrs. J. A. Cameron, Mrs. W. Turnbull, Mrs. J. Hargreaves, Mrs. E. Manning, Mrs. W. J. Mallett, Mrs. J. P. Grant, Mrs. Harry Greenblatt, Mrs. R. T. Freeman, Mrs. R. T. Brindle, Mrs. G. Laffin, Mrs. P. Hall, Mrs. P. Norton, Mrs. P. F. Jordan, Mrs. M. Findlay, Mrs. Martin, Mrs. W. Nachtrieb, Mrs. C. H. French, Mrs. H. Daborn Day, Mrs. T. W. Robertson, Mrs. R. G. Elliott, Mrs. Griffiths, Mrs. W. H. Dwyer, Mrs. D. W. Mogger, Mrs. Geo. C. Grant, Mrs. G. W. Stott, Mrs. G. Armstrong, Mrs. A. Richardson, Mrs. M. Barter, Mrs. T. R. Canuck, Mrs. E. Mackintosh, Mrs. G. W. Gardiner, Mrs. P. Moore, Mrs. J. Warren, Mrs. L. W. Ball, Mrs. Geo. Talamy, Mrs. J. Bryant, Mrs. L. A. Grogan, Mrs. J. W. Hudson, Mrs. Wm. Cox, Mrs. E. F. Jordan, Mrs. A. Willis, Mrs. Thos. Thompson, Mrs. W. W. Waterson, Mrs. E. P. Maundrell, Mrs. A. L. Oakley, Mrs. G. Holt, Mrs. B. J. Porter, Mrs. E. E. Corbey, Mrs. G. H. Topp, Mrs. N. E. Oliver, Mrs. H. Chadwick, Mrs. P. Sherritt, Mrs. R. Cruickshanks, Mrs. D. W. Carter, Mrs. R. H. Speck, Mrs. W. H. Grimm, Mrs. H. A. Nuttall, Mrs. R. A. Semple, Mrs. F. E. Shore, Mrs. H. Wolfenden, Mrs. G. H. Price, Mrs. A. Penketh, Mrs. J. Porter, Mrs. J. Beveridge, Mrs. A. Campbell, Mrs. J. V. Robertson, Mrs. Harry Catterall, Mrs. W. N. Lenfesty, Mrs. C. W. McAllister, Mrs. J. R. Clark, Mrs. A. E. Cotton, Mrs. P. W. Carlton, Mrs. A. Godel, Mrs. W. J. Dorman, Mrs. A. Lucas, Mrs. W. Barrowclough, Mrs. K. M. Chadwick, Mrs. G. P. Player, Mrs. P. Brown, Mrs. M. G. Shaw, Mrs. H. P. Hewitt, Mrs. A. D. Huxtable, Mrs. P. Marshall, Mrs. W. Adie, Mrs. J. E. Terry, Mrs. Wm. Grant, Mrs. A. Davies, Mrs. H. A. Patterson, Mrs. Alan Pimley, Mrs. R. C. Russell, Mrs. M. B. Clouston, Mrs. G. Sheppard, Mrs. O. Brown, Mrs. L. Pockock, Mrs. D. M. Riddle, Mrs. E. Baer, Mrs. H. J. Wood, Mrs. Amphlett, Mrs. G. H. Bissett, Mrs. K. Moon, Mrs. H. K. Prior, Mrs. P. Baylis, Mrs. E. Jones, Mrs. Stock, Mrs. Pimmore, Mrs. B. Smith, Mrs. W. E. Oliver, Mrs. C. French, Mrs. P. Middleton, Mrs. L. Middleton, Mrs. G. Stueggert, Mrs. J. Dorsey, Mrs. Francis Mellor, Helen Harris, Gladys Davies, Jean Findlay, Rosalind Young, Elma Innes, May Innes, Beth Graham, Elizabeth Taylor, Helen Redding, Dorothy Osborn, B. Hare, E. A. Allen, A. C. Mason, McTavish, W. Cooke, M. Ross, E. Oliver, Cora Lamb, D. M. Locke, Harriet Greenblatt, Lena Mitchell, L. Ormond, M. Tindall, Margaret Mellor, Helen Welsh, Fry, Dottie Elliott, Grace Elliott, M. P. Hoole, B. Porter, Iona Porter, Agnes McKay, G. Smeethurst, L. Smeethurst, Edna Steele, S. E. Craig, I. Laurison, M. Laurison, J. Rutledge, A. Brown, R. McMillan, P. Vaughan Roberts, M. Selh, Nan Eve, Doris Rinos, Pas Rinos, G. Williamson, C. Catterall, M. Rodger, Mary Piercy, G. Sunderland, B. Hulke, M. Amphlett, P. Amphlett, Beddie, Sonerville, F. Lightbody, C. McMillan, Richards, Messrs. W. Morry, A. Longridge, Tom Williamson, C. S. Partridge, W. Middleton, J. C. Munkett, Thos. Catterall, T. S. Jeffrey, J. F. Moore, Kyle Symons, W. Geoffrey, Ella M. Seymour, Jack Lillie, and many others.

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ONE OF "BOCCACCIO" PRINCIPALS



Gwendolyn Goodman, of Winnipeg, who is spending the winter in Victoria and will appear in the role of Flamette in "Boccaccio" to be produced by Victoria Operatic Society at the Royal Victoria Theatre, February 6 and 7.



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EXCHANGE AVOIDS DUPLICATION OF RELIEF WORK

Experiment Here Shows Value of Central Bureau and Co-operative Effort

Total of 1,157 Names Handled in Connection With Christmas Cheer Appeals

With many welfare, church and other organizations in Victoria engaged in relief work among the poor, duplication and overlapping is inevitable without the aid of a central exchange to the records of which each organization can readily obtain access. The value of such a central bureau was effectively demonstrated recently, when the Christmas exchange, opened on December 10, was very successfully operated through the efforts of the various churches and organizations doing Christmas cheer work.

1,157 NAMES SUBMITTED

The attached statistical report shows that forty-five churches and organizations used the exchange, and that 1,157 names passed through the office. Of these, 872 families were provided with hampers by the affiliated organizations and the remaining 285 were inquiries regarding families already cared for. These 285 inquiries covered 201 families, and the following figures show the number of times such families were referred: One hundred and forty referred by two organizations (including the one sending a hamper), forty-four referred by three, fourteen referred by four, one referred by five, one referred by six, one referred by seven.

MUCH MONEY SAVED

The other 671 families appeared on only one list. Valuing hampers at as low as \$2.50 each, there is a saving of \$712.50 on these 285 duplicates. A report has just been received that the family referred by seven different organizations received four hampers in spite of the exchange, which shows that there are still people to be converted to using the exchange. The statistical report shows some organizations as sending out very few hampers, while, in reality, they sent out a large number, but did not register the names. From another report it would appear that one organization, although appearing on the exchange, sent out no hampers to families they knew were already receiving from another source.

The office was used considerably more than was anticipated, and in spite of working at night, it would have been impossible for the office secretary to handle the work had it not been for the splendid assistance given by volunteers, particularly Miss Cheek, who investigated some of the personal applications, and R. W. Hartley, who assisted with the cards.

It is suggested in a report sent out by the chairman, W. Crouch, that if the exchange is in operation another year, organizations using it should submit all names referred in writing and get a report the following day, as this

P.E.O. SISTERS HOLD BANQUET

Local Members Celebrated Founder's Day Yesterday at Empress Hotel

The members of the P.E.O. Sisterhood of Victoria assembled at the Empress Hotel yesterday afternoon for a business meeting of the order, which was presided over by Mrs. F. T. Cliff, president of the reciprocity committee. An address of welcome was extended by Mrs. M. R. Pearce to the supreme president, Mrs. Edith Markham Wallace of Seattle, who came over to attend the session.

Reports were read showing the activities of the chapters at St. and K of the P.E.O. Sisterhood in Victoria for the last year. Mrs. S. Okell reading the "I" report, and Mrs. H. O. English the "K" report.

Mrs. Wallace, supreme president, gave a helpful and inspiring address. Mrs. Claude Campbell, rendered a vocal solo and was accompanied by Mrs. Paul Green. The afternoon session closed with the national and international anthems. In the evening a banquet was held in the Duke of Kent dining room at the Empress Hotel and on the occasion, Mrs. P. T. Cliff acted as chairwoman. There was community singing led by Mrs. A. S. Locke, Mrs. W. E. Stansfield and Mrs. Paul Green.

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WORK SHARED UP

Twenty-two churches and societies, and six private individuals assisted the exchange by taking care of families whose names have been sent in as requests for help. Two hundred and sixty-four names were sent in, and 146 were placed in this way, the remainder being taken care of on the list of some other organization reporting. The I.O.D.E. cared for thirty-six returned soldier families, the Victoria High School took fifteen names and sent excellent provisions to the families, thirteen names were referred to the Spanish police, the agriculture and taxation departments at the Provincial Buildings did without their usual Christmas treat and provided dinners for three families. Some of the boys of the Colonist staff took a family, the "Revelers" (young men's club) provided for four others, and the Young People's Society of St. Mary's Church were responsible for three. Seven families were taken by the Girl Guides. Donations from the Victoria Business Association, the Victoria Club and other private donations ended the Social Service League to take care of twenty families for the exchange.

The various churches were very good about taking care of extra families, and through their kind help it was possible for the exchange to place a number of last minute calls. Expressions of appreciation have been received from the various organizations regarding the assistance the exchange has been to them in their work. This service would not have been possible, however, if it had not been for the splendid spirit displayed by all those using the exchange. It was only through the earnest efforts of the officials of the various organizations that such a practical demonstration of the value of co-operation was possible.

ANALYSIS OF USERS

The following analysis showing the churches and organizations using the exchange will be of interest:

	Recorded	Duplicates
Navy Veterans.....	1	1
Women's League.....	1	1
St. Paul's Cathedral.....	1	1
St. Andrew's Church.....	1	1
St. George's Church.....	1	1
St. John's Church.....	1	1
St. Peter's Church.....	1	1
St. James Church.....	1	1
St. Luke's Church.....	1	1
St. Mark's Church.....	1	1
St. Matthew's Church.....	1	1
St. Michael's Church.....	1	1
St. Nicholas Church.....	1	1
St. Raphael Church.....	1	1
St. Thome Church.....	1	1
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ST. ANDREW'S TO GIVE CONCERT

Choir Will Offer Fine Programme on Monday Evening

The choir of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church will give a sacred recital on Monday evening, commencing at 8.15. Miss Jessie McKenzie will be at the organ, and Jesse A. Longfield will accompany the soloists.

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DANCER'S DEATH RECALLS MISHAP

Sword of Pavlova's Partner Pierced Skull of Spectator in Hamilton

Hamilton, Ont., Jan. 24.—The death of Anna Pavlova recalled to many local citizens the strange mishap which occurred in the Grand Opera House on the night of January 18, 1911, the first appearance here of the noted danseuse.

AUNT HET



"I wasn't surprised when they took the widow Jones to the asylum. I happen to know she gave up a forty-dollar pension to marry Henry."



effectively help to regulate sluggish bowels in an older child.



ADJUDICATORS APPOINTED FOR LOCAL FESTIVAL

Sir Hugh Robertson of Glasgow One of Three Britishers Coming

The Victoria Musical Festival Association is again this season to be favored with an excellent staff of adjudicators.

The local association, being affiliated with the Western Federation of Musical Festivals, has been able to secure the services of three men of first rank from the British Isles, and in addition has engaged three other adjudicators who were decided upon only after very careful deliberation.

CANADIAN AND AMERICANS

Prof. Frank Eichenlaub, of Portland, Ore., began studying the violin at the age of nine. A few years later went to Berlin as a pupil of Karl Markies, then to Prague where he studied three years with the famous, taught, sought, and renowned cellist, as Kubelik, Marie Hall, Kocian, etc.

After more than forty-eight hours of bitter wrangling, the jury of seven men and five women finally brought in a verdict late yesterday holding Daisy guilty of one of the thirty-five counts of grand theft with which she was charged and recommending clemency.

FASHION PLAQUE



A distinctive note on a pink jersey dress—this was the pink and black crepe dress which tapers at one shoulder and fastens with a button and button hole.

TO ADJUDICATE VICTORIA MUSIC FESTIVAL



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MISS JEAN CAMPBELL

WILL SENTENCE DAISY DE BOE ON MONDAY

Two Women Jurors Waged Fight to Convict Her on All Counts, But Compromised

Los Angeles, Jan. 24.—Convicted on a compromise verdict of an unopposed jury which for hours had been deadlocked eight to four for acquittal, Daisy de Boe languished in jail here today awaiting sentence for theft from her former employer, Clara Bow, of the films.

HOPES FOR LENIENCY

There was little or no exultation over the verdict in the Bow household, where the red-haired actress is ill with a cold.

YOUR BABY and MINE
By Myrtle Meyer Eldred

Mothers seldom recognize indications of development.

The growing-up process is such a gradual one that mothers are all too apt to confuse the manifestations with naughtiness. Children do not change abruptly and dramatically from one stage of growth to the next, the transition goes on daily and it is only when the mother is observant and sensitive to change that she realizes it. Unless she recognizes that her child's actions are due to growth and development rather than a desire to be naughty and annoying she will not readily change her attitudes and management to accord with them.

Mrs. A. J. S. is having some of the usual "troubles" encountered when a child nears two years of age. She writes: "Help me with the troubles I am having with a twenty-one months old healthy baby girl. When I have to dress her she kicks and cries and I have to use force to accomplish the task. If I do not keep the socks on the gas range tied she opens them up. If I leave the bathroom door open she turns on the faucet and enjoys seeing the water run out. She takes a nap from twelve-thirty to two daily but at night despite a bath before dinner she insists on having us in the room with her and it takes her one and one-half hours to fall asleep. We cannot let her cry it out as she holds her breath. She is outdoors in all three and one-half hours daily."

GUIDES OF EAST DISTRICT HOSTS

Enjoyable Social Evening at St. Mary's Hall; Attractive Programme

Guides and Girl Guides of the Victoria East District entertained at a very successful social gathering in St. Mary's Hall, Oak Bay, yesterday evening. Mrs. L. A. Genge, District Commissioner, welcomed the guests, those invited including Mrs. Alan B. McKill, Provincial Guide Commissioner; Mrs. Walter C. Nichol, Divisional Guide Commissioner; Mrs. George Phillips, commissioner; and Mrs. H. M. Archibald, assistant commissioner of Victoria's West district; Mrs. Curtis Sampson, provincial president of the I.O.D.E.; Mrs. J. H. Gillespie, municipal I.O.D.E. regent; Mrs. Herbert Anascomb, Miss Wigley, president of the local association Girl Guides; Mrs. P. B. Scurrah, president of the Women's Canadian Club; Miss E. Neelands, chief factor, Native Daughters; Mrs. R. V. D. Guitrie, Miss Hilliard, Mrs. Decker, Mrs. K. C. Spurgin, Miss Atkins and Mrs. Gordon Smith.

S.C. SCENES SHOWN

The very attractive programme opened with the showing by Major Gordon Smith of moving pictures of the recent motor caravan tour through the Peace River and Cariboo districts.

GUIDE "TURNS"

The various guide companies contributed a number of turns. The Oaklands Company included a dance, violin duet, and Highland fling exhibition in their group; Edith Cavell Company arranged a typical campfire scene, and St. Margaret's Company put on an original series of skits on the six rules of health, which added a humorous touch to the programme. The Conscience Company was responsible for an amusing "side-show" exhibition, and the Joan of Arc Company contributed an attractive balloon number.

An inter-company relay race concluded the programme and the serving of delicious refreshments brought to a close one of the most successful meetings in the annals of local guiding.

FINANCES OF FRIENDLY HELP ARE SHOWN

The Friendly Help Association passed the following financial statement at its annual meeting this week:

Cash in Bank of Montreal, January 1, 1930, \$2,816; cash in hand, \$18.00; special subscriptions, \$802.75; school subscriptions, \$67.61; general subscriptions, \$ 6,190.65; to grants by City of Victoria, \$9,500; interest on bank deposits, \$18.15; interest on bond, \$50; return of cash advance, \$47.67; sale of clothing, \$45; sale of furniture, \$6; total, \$19,059.28.

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\$82.50; assistants, \$235; janitor service, \$120; postage and revenue stamps, \$12.38; books, stationery, etc., \$46.11; fuel for Association Rooms, \$42; typewriter repairs, \$2.25; affiliation and registration fees, \$8.50; cleaning rooms, \$29.95; sundry purchases, filling cabinet, typewriter, etc., \$40. By Christmas: hampers—Groceries, \$409.60; helpers, \$66.25; expressage, hampers, \$76; expressage, meat, \$26.25; paper bags, twine, etc., \$13.50. Bond purchased (City of Vancouver 5 per cent, 1929), bond, \$907.22; accrued interest, \$8.90. Balance—Cash in Bank of Montreal, \$12,288.85; cash on hand, \$5.40; total, \$19,059.28.

St. Andrew's W.M.S.—The W.M.S. of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church held their first meeting of the year in the lecture-room on Tuesday evening. They had as their guests the members of the Y.W.M.S. and many members and friends of the congregation. The first chapter of the new study-book, "Ambassadors of Goodwill," was presented by the president, Mrs. R. A. Brown, who conducted a short business session, after which an hour of social intercourse was enjoyed. An interesting programme was presented, which included a violin selection by J. Longfield, with Mrs. Longfield at the piano, and vocal selections by Mrs. Lefevre, accompanied by Miss Clark. Under the able direction of Mrs. Mason and Mrs. Gibson, refreshments were served, and at this time the society welcomed the members of the session, adjourned from a yearly meeting at the same hour. Reports from secretaries and committees indicate a successful year just passed, even better things are hoped for in 1931.

SUCCEEDS CLARA BOW

Daughters of St. George—Princess Patricia Lodge No. 238, Daughters of St. George, held their regular meeting in the New Thought Hall recently. A good attendance of sisters were present. A vote of thanks was given to Sister Beadell and her committee for the good returns from the sale of work.

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THE SPORTS MIRROR

Big Men in Sport Are Target for Razing of Fans

Big, Good-natured Ching Johnson Is Patient Sufferer

Riding of Athletes Favorite Pastime With Certain Class

Open Claiming System Is Planned for Prairie Race Tracks

BIG MEN in all sports are the target of the fans. The giant full-back, the big fighter, the tall centre player in basketball have the fans roaring at them from the sidelines. Their very size brings them the fans' adoration, support, the little fellow. And so it goes in hockey. Ching Johnson, the New York Rangers' huge defence player, is the biggest man physically in the National Hockey League. The Rangers' fans seldom permit Ching to forget the fact. The fans never do.

Ching, despite his good natured temperament and easy going attitude, is the villain of the drama, or so the fans seem to think, in a clash between Ching and an opposing player the cry is for Ching's scalp. Though the other chap is usually the aggressor, one look at Ching's superior size and the crowd is yelling "bully." Johnson seldom fouls. Rare are the occasions on which Ching can be seen decorating the penalty box while his teammates try desperately to make up for his absence on the ice.

Ching probably has suffered more injuries on the ice than any other veteran major league hockey player. There is hardly a portion of his big frame which did not sport a bruise or a fracture. Yet the fan could never know it from his style of play. It will take more than injuries to stop a man like Johnson.

Razing athletes has long been a favorite pastime with a certain class of sport followers. Not so many years ago Ty Cobb, probably the greatest all-round player in the history of baseball, was forced to listen to loud and sustained cheering at different times. On one occasion Ty took the law unto himself and mounted the bleachers and took a couple of punches at one of his tormentors. Of course he was handed a severe reprimand by Ban Johnson, who was then president of the American League.

With hockey players it's different. Unless a tormentor happens to be along rail, the player has no chance to get near him even if he were so disposed. At that it isn't so many years ago that Billy Boucher aggravated beyond the limit, took a healthy swing with his stick at a fan. Another time in Montreal an overzealous fan after referee Mike Rodden for a considerable length of time, took a punch at the arbitrator from a ringside seat, and received a receipt with interest.

A plan to curb the practice of illegal claiming of race horses on tracks of the prairie province now proposed by the Prairie Thoroughbred Breeders' and Racing Association may eventually have a far-reaching effect on horse racing in British Columbia. If the plan goes through and successful on the prairie track it is possible that it will be introduced here.

Under the present system, claiming of a horse is made by the owners of horses entered in some particular race. This is to say, no claims are allowed unless the person claiming the horse has a horse entered in the same race. It is planned to introduce the open claim system which has found favor with trackmen all over the continent. If this system is adopted any member of the general public can claim any horse entered in any claim race for the purchase price marked on the program.

Decision to introduce the open claiming rule was made following a long irregularities in the claiming of several horses on prairie tracks last season. In numerous cases, horses, which had run earlier in the year for a claiming price ranging from \$800 to \$1,000, were dropped down as low as \$400 and \$500 in the closing days of the season, and owners of cheap horses found themselves caught between two fires. Their stock was not good enough to compete with the "dropped down" horses and they had no money with which to claim even if they had wanted to.

With the advent of the opening rule, it is argued that there would be less chance of owners trying to "slip one over." Knowing their horses would be subject to claim by anyone interested, they would by necessity have to hunt them just where they belonged and this action alone would have a beneficial influence upon evening up the quality of the various fields.

Hamilton Tigers Will Field Same Club Next Season

Hamilton, Jan. 24.—Assurance that every player who went through last season's grueling sixteen-game grind will again don a Tiger uniform when the next season rolls around was given by Dr. G. McFarlane, newly-elected president of the Hamilton Tiger Football Club, at the annual banquet to Inter-provincial Union team players and members of the Ontario Rugby football team.

John De Cruyck, president of the Canadian Rugby Union and the O.R.F.U., believed introduction of the forward pass would help this Canadian game.

J. Golden, Von Elm H. Smith and Hagen Pass From Running

"Extras" Enjoy Gala Day in \$4,000 Los Angeles Tournament; Golden, Winner of Agua Caliente Tournament, Beaten by Tony Manero After Three Extra Holes; Neil Christian, Portland, Accounts for Horton Smith 3 and 2; MacDonald Smith Goes Under Before Guldahl; Quarter Finals Being Played To-day.

By PAUL ZIMMERMAN

Los Angeles, Jan. 24.—Golf's great were mere members of the gallery at the Riviera Country Club course to-day as the ootier surviving the first two rounds of match play in the motion picture \$4,000 open tournament reached the quarter finals.

Only one of the front rank contenders from the winter army of professionals remained. He was Tony Manero, the suave New Yorker who won the Pasadena open a month ago. None of the others had been considered as serious contenders for the \$1,000 first place money which will be presented to the winner of tomorrow's finals.

Well-known City Athlete Becomes Benedict To-day



DR. ART WEBSTER

Dan Cupid tackled Dr. Art Webster, star McKeechne Cup tug by three-quarter, basketball and crack baseball player of this city, this afternoon and held him with a wedding ring in Seattle. This afternoon the local athlete teamed up with Miss Grace Hunter, popular Victoria girl, with one of the sound city's pastors refereeing.

Congratulations have poured in upon Art since the announcement of his engagement some weeks ago and several were wired to him this afternoon.

Mrs. M. Webster, Harry Webster, Miss Margaret Homer-Bison and Maurice Hunter, brother of the bride, left Victoria to attend the ceremony.

Dr. Webster was for many years known as one of the best three-quarter players on the local McKeechne Cup team, having played on the squad last season. He was also one of the star members of the Capitals' basketball quintette and in the best first basement in Victoria baseball circles. Last summer he played with the Elks.

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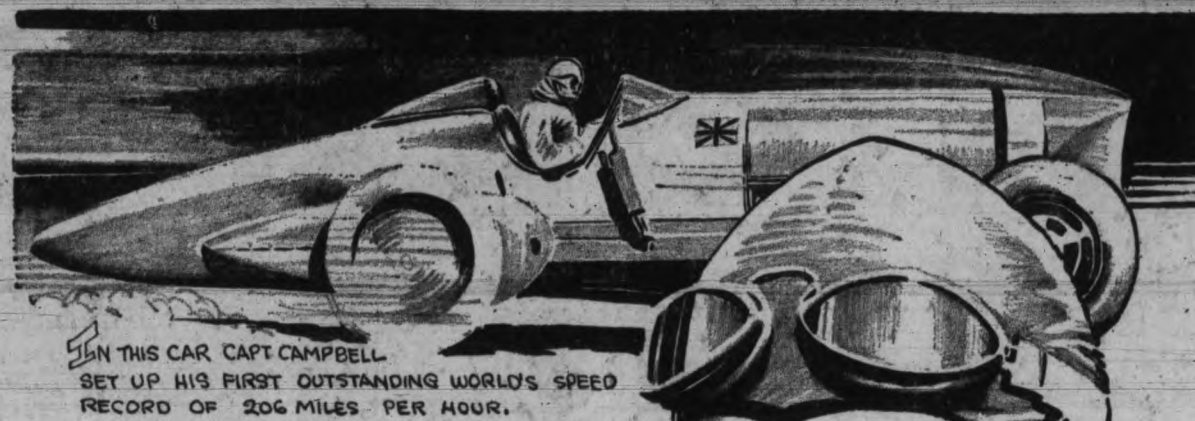


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By JIMMY THOMPSON



CAPT. MALCOLM CAMPBELL IS THE ONLY MAN OUT OF FOUR WHO HAS TRAVELED AT A SPEED OF OVER 200 MILES AN HOUR IN A RACING CAR AND LIVED.

THE LATE MAJOR H.O.P. SEGRAVE WHO SET UP RECORDS THAT THE BOYS ARE STILL SHOOTING AT.

Speed and more speed. The world of science and mechanics is again striving to break present speed records. The death defying velocity of 230 miles an hour on land still does not satisfy the craving to flash across distance in almost instantaneous time. Four men have given these giants of speed cars at over 200 miles an hour and only one lives to talk of his experience. He is Capt. Malcolm Campbell who is going to try and break the present world's record of 231.447 miles an hour established by the late Sir Henry Segrave in 1929.

In his next attempt Capt. Campbell will drive a new monster of unique design more than half again as powerful as the late Sir Henry Segrave's famous Golden Arrow. It has been named the Bluebird. It is said that one of Campbell's chief aides during the coming speed trials will be H. J. Leach who was one of the few survivors of the R-101 disaster in France. Capt. Campbell's highest speed record stands at 206.9802 an hour.

HOCKEY



CLANCY HAD AMBITIONS AS A LONG DISTANCE RUNNER!

The name King Clancy might seem strange listed up alongside names like Clarence DeMar, Jole Ray, Johnny Miles, Percy Wyer and Cliff Bricker. Yet it might have easily been true. Displaying the same perpetual energy and vim that he plays every one of these thirty and sometimes seventy minutes of hockey, he was once awarded a special prize in his first and last attempt at road racing in Ottawa. That was, however, a little over ten years ago. To be exact it was staged in 1921 by the St. Brigid's Club and won by Tommy McLaughlin. Five minutes before the starting gun Clancy decided to enter, so tossing off his coat and rolling up his shirt sleeves and without running shoes he went to the starting line. According to King himself it was about the toughest job he ever stepped into and he's sure that he would think twice before starting another. Soon after the first mile King was all by himself in the rear, but by steady plugging he overtook the bulk of the contestants and galloped home in fourth place.

STANDINGS

	W.	L.	D.	P.	A.	P.
Portland	7	5	6	24	24	20
Vancouver	7	5	6	24	24	20
Seattle	6	5	6	24	24	20

	W.	L.	D.	P.	A.	P.
Canadians	15	7	3	71	55	33
Toronto	12	7	3	68	50	28
Maroons	15	11	3	58	60	27
N.Y. Americans	9	8	7	40	34	25
Ottawa	5	10	2	45	70	12

	W.	L.	D.	P.	A.	P.
Boston	10	7	3	63	56	26
Chicago	10	7	3	63	56	26
N.Y. Rangers	10	6	4	63	54	26
Detroit	11	10	4	66	56	26
Philadelphia	3	22	1	41	100	9

Gordon Savage Nets Lone Goal To Give Seattle Esks a Win

Defeat Vancouver to Gain Tie With Lions for Second Place in Pacific Coast Hockey League; Portland Heads League With One Point Margin Over Second Place Teams; Road Trip Proves Disastrous to Vancouver; Lost Two Games and Tied One in Last Week.

Seattle, Jan. 24.—It's getting so the team doing the traveling in the Pacific Coast Hockey League can't get to first base. Vancouver wound up a sad week of hockey yesterday evening when the Lions dropped a 1 to 0 game to the Seattle Eskimos here, to make it two losses and a tie since Monday. The Lions were defeated by Portland in Vancouver Monday and played to a scoreless tie with the Bucks in the Oregon City Thursday night.

Seattle was on the road last week and lost two games and tied one after climbing to the front with five straight wins.

Portland now heads the league with twenty-one points, while Vancouver and Seattle are tied for second place with twenty each.

Gordon Savage, big defence man, scored the winning goal for the Eskimos in the first period. He slashed at the puck from just inside the goal line, and the rubber bounded through Goalie Jackson's legs. Nobody expected the shot to score as the disc traveled very slowly, but Jackson took little pains in baiting it away, and when he missed the rubber with his stick the puck slipped under him.

Vancouver's one big chance to score came in the second period, when "Goat" Pettenger circled the Eskimo defence for a close-in shot, but he was slow in his attempt, and Goalie Kemp saved the goal by blocking the net with his body.

The Lions rushed four and five-man attacks at the Seattle goal in the last period, but the Eskimos stopped them all.

The game was halted for a few minutes in the last period to permit the cleaning of the ice after the fans had pelted the officials with papers. The spectators disapproved the penalizing of Savage after he and Blyth mauled each other around.

Blyth to go to the bench with the Seattle defence ace.

SUMMARY
First period—1, Seattle, Savage, 7:52.
Second period—No score.
Third period—No score.

Trail Wins Over Nelson in Extra Time Hockey Game

Nelson, B.C., Jan. 24.—Trail beat Nelson 3 to 2 yesterday evening in an overtime period game in the West Kootenay Senior Hockey League. Trail's winning goal came after one minute's play in the last overtime period.

The game was fast throughout. The win places Trail at the head of the league with three wins and three losses. Nelson has two wins and three losses.

Hockey Schedule For the Week-end

To-night's schedule:
NATIONAL LEAGUE
Ottawa at Toronto Maple Leafs.
New York Americans at Montreal Canadiens.
Boston at Philadelphia.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE
Detroit at Cleveland.
Syracuse at Buffalo.
Windsor at Pittsburgh.
CANADIAN-AMERICAN LEAGUE
Providence at Springfield.
New Haven at Boston.

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE
Seattle at Vancouver.

Sunday night's schedule:
NATIONAL LEAGUE
Montreal Maroons at Chicago.
Detroit at New York Rangers.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE
Syracuse at Detroit.
CANADIAN-AMERICAN LEAGUE
Springfield at New Haven.
Philadelphia at Providence.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Buffalo at Detroit.
Kansas City at St. Louis (transferred to Kansas City).
Minneapolis at Tulsa.

GEORGE LOTT INTO FINALS

Defending Canadian Indoor Tennis Champion Opposes Van Ryn To-day

Montreal, Jan. 24.—A five-set doubles match in which J. Gilbert Hall of South Orange, N.J., and his local partner, Charles W. Leslie, eliminated the strong United States' team of Berkeley Bell, New York, and Eddie Jacobs, Pittsburgh, furnished the outstanding feature in the semi-finals of the Canadian indoor tennis championships at the Montreal Indoor Tennis Clubs, here, yesterday.

The Canadian-United States team won only after a lengthy struggle in which the fortunes of each pair kept changing. The score was 6-3, 6-4, 6-8, 1-6, 6-4. In the final they will meet George M. Lott of Chicago, and John Van Ryn of Philadelphia, strong United States Davis Cup team combination.

LOTT IN FINALS

The Lott-Van Ryn combination swept into the singles final with smashing straight-set victories yesterday afternoon. George Lott, defending champion, got to the last round by overcoming the dashing Texan, Berkeley Bell, 6-3, 6-3, 6-4, while John Van Ryn swept aside the challenge of J. Gilbert Hall, champion of two years ago, 1-6, 6-4, 6-2, 6-2. The winners had a wide margin in both cases.

In the second doubles semi-final, Lott and Van Ryn defeated the last all-Canadian team of Dr. Jack Wright and E. H. Laframboise, 6-1, 6-2, 6-2. The Canadians played well, but their efforts went for naught against the really brilliant playing of their experienced opponents.

SCHAAF BEATS BRADDOCK IN MAULING BOUT

Boston Heavyweight Wins Close Decision in Slow and Uninteresting Battle

6,000 Fans Yawn and Boo During Ten Rounds; Garden Experiences Lean Season

New York, Jan. 24.—Boxing in Madison Square Garden is experiencing the leanest indoor season in the garden's history.

A crowd of 6,000 watched Ernie SchAAF, burly Boston heavyweight, outpoint Jimmy Braddock of Jersey City in a slow bout yesterday evening, and brought the unofficial average attendance for the last five garden boxing shows to 7,500.

The three National League hockey games played at the garden each week drew an average of about 10,000; more than 20,000 packed themselves into the Eighth Avenue Arena to see a wrestling match, and 16,000 paid their way to see three college basketball games last Monday night.

Certainly the SchAAF-Braddock match did little to boom trade for the boxing business. For eight rounds the spectators alternately yawned, and booed as the rival heavyweights hauled and tugged at each other without doing much damage.

SCHAAF OPENS UP

It was not until the ninth round that the boys opened up. SchAAF, who had exhibited great respect for the famed dynamite in Braddock's right hand, abandoned his cautious tactics and traded punches fearlessly. Braddock won that round, but SchAAF belted him about the body unmercifully in the tenth and won a split decision. The referee and one judge cast ballots for SchAAF, and the other judge for Braddock. The Associated Press score card, however, showed seven rounds for SchAAF and three for Braddock.

SchAAF had a big pull in the weights, scaling 198½ pounds to Braddock's 180½.

JOKERS DROP HOCKEY GAME TO CYCLEMEN

Are Beaten 8 to 6 By League Leaders; Monarchs Win Easily

Despite the Jokers' strong challenge for first honors in the senior roller hockey league, Filmy and Ritchie squad, leaders in the loop, retained top berth with a two-goal margin over the Jesters, defeating them by an 8 to 6 score at the Grayline rink yesterday evening.

Lawson starred for the Jokers, being credited with all their tallies in the scoring list.

In the intermediate fixture, Monarchs smashed through the Maple Leafs to hang up a 15 to 7 victory. Teams follow:

Monarchs—Carlow Woodford 3, J. O'Connor 1, B. O'Connor 1, White 1, Smith 1, Crump 7, Spavin 1, and W. Crump.

Maple Leafs—Arthur 3, Milton 2, Rich, Falfour, Jewbury 1, Parsons, Potts, Foyer 3, Collins and Hemen 1. Filmy and Ritchie—Banks, J. Carlow, A. Fallett 2, B. Carlow 3, Taylor 2, Thompson 1, Wallace, Bossom and Jewbury.

Jokers—Lawson, Dickinson, Walker, Johnson, Lawson 6, Munro, Wensley and Brown.

Jack Ryerson Wins His Second Title

Miami, Jan. 14.—Jack Ryerson, Coopertown, N.Y., golfer, yesterday won his second crown in the 1931 Miami golfing season as he defeated Lee Chase, Buffalo, N.Y., one up in the thirty-six-hole final of the Glenn Curtis amateur trophy tournament. Ryerson won the Miami-Biltmore invitational tournament a week ago.

McDUFFER OF THE MISSAPUTTA GOLF CLUB

BY BARRIE PAYNE



"Doc Jones's wife pulled another fast one to-day when I mentioned Doc's game. I said, 'What's your husband's handicap?' and she said, 'Golf.'"

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Schmeling Is Still World Champion In the Eyes of the Fans

Ruling of New York Commission Against Max Means Nothing

German Heavyweight Will Continue to be Recognized As Champion Until He Is Beaten In Ring, Says Bob Edgren; Many Other Famous Fighters, Including Jack Dempsey and Mickey Walker, Have Been Ruled Out by Commissions But Were Still Recognized; New York Commission Has Made Many Mistakes in Selecting Heavyweight Contenders.

By ROBERT EDGREN

There are comic angles aplenty to the heavyweight title situation. If Jack Sharkey had possessed half the determination of the New York Boxing Commission he'd have been champion years ago. The Commission is determined to make a champion of him, no matter how many chances he muffs. That's the kind of a friend to have. There aren't many in these tight times. The crown, it seems, is to be forced on Sharkey's brow, no matter how much he wriggles, and a fortune accompanying that "million dollar asset" is to be jammed into his pockets in spite of his struggles.

Clever Wrestler



DESMOND ANDERSON

who meets Mervin Barkman, Chehalis, Wn., middleweight champion of the Pacific Northwest, at the Tillamook gymnasium to fight in a title bout. In the semi-windup Rocky Brooks, Victoria, opposes Jack Forsgren, Vancouver. One preliminary, which starts at 8.45 o'clock, will open the show.

Lyn Lary Returns Unsigned Contract

New York, Jan. 24.—Lyn Lary, shortstop for the New York Yankees, has returned his contract unsigned. The Californian was given an increase over his salary he drew last year but decided it was not enough.

In addition to his infield duties, Lary has maintained his position as the best-kept member of the club.



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Sharkey was shoved into a "title fight" with Schmeling last year—the theory presumably being that he'd knock the German half novice kicking in half a dozen rounds. Even when he flopped by fouling out his friends didn't lose confidence. It only made them more determined. Schmeling had to be recognized, but he was forced to sign up and give Sharkey a return engagement. And a rule was put into effect immediately that "low fouling" must not be recognized by the referee. That should have opened the way for a Sharkey win next time even if he did lose his sense of direction again.

MAX GIVEN TO THOUGHT

The only thing the Commission overlooked was putting leg irons on Schmeling so that he couldn't get back to Germany. In Germany this last six months he has had a chance to think things over. He remembered the solid thumps Sharkey landed on his jaw—and perhaps he remembered the foul punch that at least theoretically disabled him. When told to come back and fight Sharkey again Schmeling answered that he'd never agree to fight with a New York referee in the ring. This was funny, too. A New York referee who didn't see the foul punch treated Schmeling very kindly indeed. He asked one of the judges if he saw it, took that gentleman's word for it and gave the wriggling Schmeling the verdict and the championship of the world. Of course the judge was right—Schmeling was fouled. A few minutes later Schmeling was sitting on a cot in his dressing-room cheerfully receiving congratulations. If to-day's low-foul rule had been in effect he would have been up there in the ring, after a few minutes rest which would have benefited him. The winded Sharkey as much as it did Schmeling himself—and the outcome might have been quite different. Nobody ever knew Schmeling isn't smart. He could figure that out himself. At any rate he could figure it out in six months.

SHARKEY OUT IN COLD

Schmeling was smart enough to figure that Sharkey might not be a drawing card in another fight. He was willing to fight on percentage, but wanted to make sure the percentage would amount to something. So Jacobs told the Commission Schmeling would sign to fight Sharkey and sign to fight Stripling. Sharkey and Stripling to fight each other first and the winner go on with the German. That sounds like enough. But the Commission couldn't forget that Sharkey was its choice for title honors. It ruled Sharkey or nobody—and was left with Sharkey on its hands and the nobody to match him against for the world's championship. That's another funny one. Sharkey could have galloped out for a big match in some other state, but it seems he prefers to do his title hunting exclusively in New York and Miami—under the same promotion.

Just what will happen nobody will know very definitely until Schmeling is actually in the ring with somebody for a title fight. Yes, the New York Commission took back the title they gave Schmeling last year, officially. Only officially, though. Ever since championship fights have been held it has been a maxim that championships can be won or lost only in the ring. The public recognizes that unwritten rule. No boxing commission edict can change it. Schmeling recognized as champion by the New York Commission that handled his fight with Sharkey, by the National Boxing Association, and by the public, is still champion throughout the rest of the world until he loses a fight.

PUBLIC THE FINAL JUDGE

There have been many Commission attempts, in the past, to revoke by decree championships won in the ring, and the public has paid no attention to them at all. As the public pays the money to see championship fights the public has some slight claim to consideration. Mickey Walker has been declared out of his middleweight title a dozen times, by the National Boxing Association and other bodies with all kinds of theoretical authority. He's still champion. Dempsey was suspended, and all that sort of thing, for not fighting Wills. There was a funny angle in that. He was ordered to sign to fight Wills, and he and Kearns unexpectedly hopped right down to nut their fists on the dotted line. Then someone put the stop pedal on the match. It was near election time. Chicago has shown ability to draw big gates. It would not be at all odd to find Chicago fixed this year as the world's centre of championship boxing.

COMMISSION OFTEN WRONG

The New York Commission, which is very determined and positive in its actions, wouldn't let Dempsey fight Carpenter in New York state, and Tex Rickard took that one over to New Jersey, where it drew a gate of \$1,625,530. The Commission couldn't see Gene Tunney as a fit opponent for Dempsey. It was near election time. Philadelphia, gate \$1,695,000. The return match between Dempsey and Tunney was taken to Chicago, gate \$2,638,600—smashing all records. And now it seems likely Schmeling will take his



BOWLING

OLYMPIC

TEACHERS' FIFTEEN LEAGUE	No. 1	No. 2	No. 3	No. 4	No. 5
Jones	150	96	151	287	
Bailey	182	143	179	504	
Friedland	182	223	124	529	
Oliver	134	112	109	463	
Totals	601	571	673	1893	
Routley	125	164	129	418	
Ozard	177	158	146	481	
Patterson	212	205	178	595	
Battersworth	127	161	141	429	
Totals	641	629	604	1874	
Chaffield	147	130	155	432	
Wilson	141	133	187	461	
Forbes	151	136	105	392	
Breadner	231	107	125	463	
Totals	591	506	569	1627	
McMichael	98	143	130	371	
Adam	93	144	130	367	
A. Campbell	119	147	106	372	
Hurn	147	173	125	445	
Totals	457	607	604	1722	
Lester	225	201	142	568	
Oee	154	202	158	514	
Whitson	112	172	138	422	
Stevenson	118	163	165	446	
Totals	611	741	596	1948	
Bruce	103	148	128	380	
Green	146	180	101	327	
McInnes	240	134	133	507	
Battersworth	242	178	135	555	
Totals	749	661	600	2010	
Kipling	98	149	129	422	
Deane	126	135	170	431	
Muncy	109	161	148	418	
Totals	334	445	447	1226	
Greenland	106	152	143	401	
Whitson	106	158	108	372	
Smith	203	172	101	476	
Hunkin	231	107	125	463	
Totals	736	629	735	2100	

MANUFACTURERS' LEAGUE

Sinclair	189	189	125	403
Forsyth	100	104	114	318
McMichael	181	181	101	463
Forbes	151	136	105	392
Battersworth	127	161	141	429
Totals	679	664	604	1947
J. Parritt	116	146	116	378
A. Parritt	106	89	139	334
G. Parritt	104	125	116	345
H. Parritt	171	141	136	448
Totals	635	706	606	1947
Calwood Wood Co.	143	137	128	408
L. Wooten	152	121	111	384
P. H. Sundin	114	127	83	324
G. Greer-Allen	123	114	112	349
Totals	677	605	565	1847
W. A. Eimer	116	140	128	384
W. A. Eimer	129	113	121	363
T. Brayshaw	128	132	110	370
C. McNeill	123	121	126	370
D. Hill	123	121	126	370
Totals	627	631	605	1863
Sidney Roofing & Paper Co.	139	131	101	371
F. Slevens	139	131	101	371
G. Lindsay	184	149	131	464
H. Slevens	172	177	147	496
F. McMillon	129	129	128	386
Totals	741	717	640	2100
D. Pastre	138	132	128	421
E. Brachet	165	138	128	431
J. Hutchinson	89	109	127	325
H. Hutchinson	121	96	115	332
R. Patterson	75	126	128	329
Totals	585	592	605	1842

SPENCER'S FIFTEEN LEAGUE

T. S. Milady	192	221	620	1033
H. Bean	187	204	188	579
R. Humphries	184	173	145	482
H. Hebb	121	120	184	425
S. J. Thomas	129	187	164	480
E. Gray	167	225	143	535
Totals	821	1025	804	2650
C. W. Wilesworth	154	142	137	433
L. Farr	150	143	125	418
J. Aiken	126	162	147	435
E. Walsh	129	187	164	480
Totals	569	664	593	1826
V. Lons	113	102	102	317
P. Freer	213	151	205	569
L. Platt	199	169	169	537
L. Freer	199	201	140	540
Totals	1044	665	616	2325
R. Melburn	113	102	95	310
W. Carroll	264	153	148	565
W. Westcomb	129	187	164	480
C. Baylis	163	244	136	543
Low score	140	151	151	442
Totals	811	897	680	2388
J. Barnes	116	122	106	344
A. Darrell	200	226	197	603
C. Tyrrell	243	243	146	632
P. Tyrrell	189	187	164	530
H. Tyrrell	153	143	133	429
Totals	909	927	843	2740

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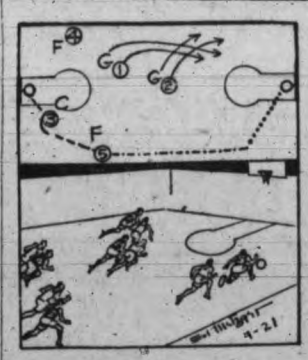
Tuffy Griffiths And Paolino May Battle at Miami

New York, Jan. 24.—Bill Carey, president of Madison Square Garden, is trying to line up a heavyweight bout between Tuffy Griffiths and Paolino May. Griffiths is being promoted by Frank Buren, former garden official. The bout would be held about a week before the proposed Jimmy Maloney-Primo Carnera battle at Miami, March 6, which is being promoted by Frank Buren, former garden official. The Griffiths-Usedom match will go through only if the New York State Athletic Commission can be persuaded to lift its suspension on Paolino. The Basque heavyweight was set down for fighting Carnera at Barcelona recently. Carnera has been under ban here ever since his flaccid fight with Leon Cavallier out on the Pacific Coast.

HORSE RACING

Agua Caliente, Jan. 24.—Results of horse racing here yesterday follow:
First race, three furlongs—Sun's Star, \$2.60; Conquistador, \$10.50; Bahama, \$4.30; Wirt, \$2.20; Time, 34.4-5.
Second race, six furlongs—Chub, \$24.00; \$14.40; \$6; Scotland Wiser, \$4.40; \$3.40; Judge Austin, \$4. Time, 1:12 2-5.
Third race, six furlongs—Shasta Star, \$3.80; \$7.80; La Clair, \$36.80; \$3.80; Livery, \$4. Time, 1:12 2-5.
Fourth race, Sunnys Corn, \$13.40; \$10.50; Conquistador, \$10.50; \$4.00; Post Paid, \$5.20. Time, 1:52 4-5.
Fifth race, six furlongs—Shasta Star, \$4.50; \$4.40; Subway Tube, \$12.50; Bettendorf, \$4.40. Time, 1:11 2-5.
Sixth race, one mile—Bertrand, \$6.20; \$4.40; Released, \$7. \$4.40; Peace Princess, \$4.80. Time, 1:39 1-5.
Seventh race, mile and one-sixteenth—Alexander, \$3.80; \$2.20; Freight Clerk, \$6.80. Time, 1:46.

Ohio Has Quick Breaking Attack



By SOL MEYER

Keep your eye on Ohio State in this year's Western Conference basketball race. It looks as though Coach Olsen's outfit will be very much in the running. Ohio hasn't won the title since 1925. So it's about due. On quick breaks you can't beat the Buckeyes. Here's one of his rapid fire plays following the securing of the ball on a rebound by No. 3, He whirled and shoots the ball to his right guard, No. 5, who dribbles at top speed down the side-line and then shoots. This year's Ohio team, like last season's, believes in scoring when the scoring chances are good. So when it gets past the foul-line he'll stop his dribble and take a crack at the basket. Note how the way is cleared for him for an uninterrupted dribble. Tomorrow's game will break play on a rebound, this one by Minnesota. (Copyright 1931, Publishers Syndicate)



Kid Berg Weathers First Round Storm And Decisions Hess

English Holder of Junior Welterweight Throne Hands Pacific Coast Battler Shellacking in Ten-round Bout at Chicago; Hess Starts Off Like Wildcat in First Round But Fails to Hurt Champion; Bat Battalino, Featherweight King, Loses Slow Bout to Eddie Shea.

Chicago, Jan. 24.—Jack (Kid) Berg, of London, sat tighter than ever on his junior welterweight throne to-day while Bat Battalino, king of the featherweights, felt his sceptre slipping. The champions fought in the twin feature bouts at the Chicago Stadium yesterday evening and the fortune of choice smiled on them. Berg, who staked his crown, won a decision over Goldie Hess, of Los Angeles, after ten furious rounds that had the crowd of 12,896 spectators cheering from start to finish. Battalino, who risked nothing but his reputation, dropped a decision over the same distance to Eddie Shea, pride of Chicago's west-side, after a disappointing exhibition.

WEATHERS ATTACK

But the champion weathered the stirring attack, and except for another Hess assault in the eighth round, he handed the challenger a neat shellacking. Hess tried for a knockout punch as the seventh started, but Berg took the play away from him with his sensational speed. In the eighth and ninth rounds Hess scored more frequently and with greater power. He fought so desperately in the ninth that when the tenth round started Hess was tiring rapidly, due to the pace which Berg had set, and in the tenth the champion punched him from one side of the ring to the other, although his blow lacked the power to upset.

Berg weighed 138½ pounds to Hess's 137½. A bad eye, tightly closed during the final four rounds, helped the steam out of Battalino. Both fought a cautious fight as the crowd boomed their efforts, opening up in spurts only during the close to land his most damaging punches while Battalino sparred with long distance punches. The Associated Press score sheet showed that Shea won five rounds and Battalino two with three even. Shea weighed 127½ pounds, while Battalino weighed in at 130, four pounds over the featherweight limit.

Berg's stablemate from London, Johnny Peters, made a pleasing Chicago debut on the same card by stopping Ernie Peters of Chicago in the final round of their eight-round battle. Fast, agile and possessor of a sledgehammer punch, the Briton battered his rival into submission and the referee stopped the fight.

Don George Wins In Straight Falls Over Joe Malcwick

Salt Lake City, Jan. 24.—Don George, claimant of the world heavyweight wrestling championship, defeated Joe Malcwick, Utica panther, in straight falls here yesterday evening. Up to this point the match had been a double leg struggle.

LEN HARVEY AND VINCE DUNDEE TO MEET IN REMATCH

New York, Jan. 24.—Vince Dundee, Baltimore Italian, and Len Harvey, middleweight champion of England, have accepted terms for a return bout on February 13, Madison Square Garden officials announced yesterday. Dundee won a decision over Harvey in their first meeting two weeks ago after having been floored for a count of nine in the first round. The bout is at twelve rounds.

J.B.A.A. AND WILLOWS WIN AT BADMINTON

Rowing Club Players Retain League Lead By 12 to 4 Victory Over Y.M.C.A.

Willows Prove Far Too Strong For Christ Church Players, Winning 17 to 1

J.B.A.A. badminton players defeated the Y.M.C.A. "A" team yesterday evening at the Gorge in a Lower Island League fixture, 12 to 4; Willows defeated Christ Church at the Exhibition Building, 17 to 1, in another inter-club fixture. J.B.A.A. by their win retain first place in the Third Division standing, one point ahead of the Christ Church team. Y.M.C.A. made good progress in the women's doubles, winning three of the four matches, but only secured one more match during the balance of the evening. As the Willows, the home team, were too strong for the visiting Christ Church squad, who had recorded a victory in the first match at the Memorial Hall, Maxine Ewart and Teddy Simmons were the only pair of the losers to play a match. The scores in J.B.A.A.-Y.M.C.A. match follow with the Y.M.C.A. players named first:

WOMEN'S DOUBLES
Miss B. Campbell and Miss M. Marconini beat Miss Cheer and Mrs. W. Thomas, 15-12.
Miss B. Campbell and Miss M. Marconini beat Miss Weeks and Mrs. Foote, 15-7.
Miss A. Dunn and Miss M. Warnock lost to Miss E. Weeks and Mrs. Foote, 15-9.
Miss A. Dunn and Miss M. Warnock beat Miss Cheer and Mrs. W. Thomas, 17-14.

MEN'S DOUBLES
H. B. Witter and W. Leigh lost to L. Huxtable and Dr. Poyntz, 15-12.
H. B. Witter and W. Leigh beat Temple and C. Clarke, 15-9.
C. Connorton and A. McKinnon lost to I. Temple and C. Clarke, 15-9.
C. Connorton and A. McKinnon lost to L. Huxtable and Dr. Poyntz, 15-9.

MIXED DOUBLES
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SET FASTER PACE

Opening the game with two pretty shots, the second half, the Knights increased their lead, and by virtue of an excellent defence and fine offensive, held the black and gold cagers at bay. The teams and individual scores follow:
Knights of Pythias—Forbes (4), MacDonald (2), Caddell (4), Shepherd (2), Caddell (9), Bisset (8), McKenzie and Brown.
High School—L. Patrick (2), Goldsmith (8), M. Patrick, Chapman (3), Tubman, Levy and Moore (3).
After having suffered an overwhelming defeat at the hands of the Harmony recently, the Blue Ribbons came back to reverse the decision. With Bertie Pedon and Torie Rennie backing from all angles, the Blue Ribbons turned in a great game. With a change made in their back division, the Ribbons looked much stronger, and from now on will take plenty of stopping. The teams and individual scores follow:
Blue Ribbons—M. Wilson, K. Atherton, B. Pedon (14), D. Holder, T. Rennie (9), K. Wellburn, J. Edwards (4), D. Lea, B. Bethel (3), and B. Boyce.
Harmony—1. Alexander (11), M. Pedon (9), A. Lalonde, E. Matthews (6), B. Armstrong, M. Hall, B. Macmurchie (4).
With George Lannon and the Stugger boys running wild, West Road had little trouble taking the Keating boys into camp. Lannon collected nineteen points, while each of the Stugger scored ten.
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West Road—Claude Stugger (10), Andrew, C. Stugger (10), G. Lannon (10), M. Lannon (3), Butler and Rice.
Keating—Smith, McNeill (4), Bates (2), Kersey (7), Atkinson, Styan and Cunningham, announced.
"To-night's" games scheduled at the Y.M.C.A. gymnasium have been cancelled and will be played at a later date.

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BERT MCGEE

G. H. "Bert" McGee, who has had
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garage manager and service man-
ager for General Motors branches in
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The Motor House, Yates Street.

His general knowledge of all makes
of cars handled by the agency has made
him a great asset to the firm and has
gained him wide favor with those
owners who have brought their auto-
mobiles to him for service.

A Canadian, Bert McGee was well

known in Calgary, where residents of
that city knew him some time ago in
the service of Fred Seigel, the "race
driver." When the latter was killed in
a competition with a George Webber,
another well-known Canadian, Mr. Mc-
Gee took over Seigel's business and
operated in the Alberta city for many
years.

WITH GENERAL MOTORS IN 1916
In 1916 he first started work in the
service of the General Motors, going to
the Howard Automobile Company of
San Francisco in 1919. After spending
three years there as a mechanic, he left
to take the position of foreman with
the George S. Merwin Company, Cadil-
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products agents.

Following five and one-half years of
efficient service with that firm, he
accepted a position with Marks and
Leonard of Santa Cruz, with whom he
stayed for two and a half years.

Later he returned to San Francisco
to take a high post with the Auto
Radiator Hospital, a firm specializing
in the repair of General Motors' bodies
and engines.

From the California city he went to
Vancouver, coming to Victoria a week
ago to manage the service department
of the Motor House.

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Next Tuesday

University Professor to Give

Lecture at Victoria College.

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Dr. G. M. Shrum, professor of physics

in the University of British Columbia

and vice-president of the Victoria

Centre of the Royal Astronomical

Society of Canada, will address an

open meeting of the society at Vic-

toria College next Monday evening, on

the subject of the aurora borealis or

northern lights.

New data has recently been obtained

which throws different light on the

theories as to the cause of the aurora.

From observations taken in Norway,

the aurora appears to approach within

sixty miles of the earth's surface.

Some individuals in northern Cana-

da and Alaska claim to have seen

streamers that approached very close

to the ground. Many also claim that

sounds accompany the display, which

would suggest that the aurora does

come close to the earth's surface. Dr.

Shrum will discuss these discoveries.

Two different theories have been

put forward to explain the aurora. The

earlier theory attributes it to the in-

fluence of streams of atoms or elec-

trified particles originally shot off

from the sun, which collide with

atoms in the earth's atmosphere and

so cause the lights. A later theory

explains the aurora as due to the

action of sunlight on the atoms in the

upper atmosphere. The sunlight dis-

integrates the atoms which drift

downward towards the magnetic poles

and in doing so give rise to the

auroral light.

The lecture has been prepared in

popular language and will be illus-

trated by colored lantern slides. It

will be open to the public.

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Motorist Blazes Northern Trail with Chevrolet



"DOC" SMITH PLOUGHS THROUGH SNOW FROM THE PAS TO WINNIPEG

The first motor trail from The Pas, in Northern
Manitoba, to Winnipeg, was recently blazed by
"Doc" Smith, a veterinary of The Pas, in a new
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Lucky numbers yesterday: 8009, 8278, 8439, 8606, 8711, 8828, 8882, 9002, 9143, 9235, 9287, 9297, 9738, 9868, 9935, 9956, 9992.

COMING NEXT WEEK

"The Big Trail"



AT THE THEATRES

MITZI GREEN STARS
IN "TOM SAWYER" NOW
ON DOMINION SCREEN

Although Mitzi Green has established a tradition for playing the "sassy" role, her latest role that of Becky Thatcher in Paramount's "Tom Sawyer" at the Dominion Theatre, tonight Monday and Tuesday, is a distinct departure from the Mitzi tradition.

As Tom's sweetheart, she wears blonde curls (a wig, of course) and departs herself with the prim demeanor of a little lady of the early Victorian age. Instead of her customary obstreperousness, she is seen in a portrayal that is almost wholly angelic.

Her earlier roles were as the leader of the belligerent children in "The Marriage Playground"; the unruly and meddling housemaid's daughter in "Honey"; the adopted child in "The Santa Fe Trail"; Clara Bow's slip little sister in "Love Among the Millionaires".

Jackie Coogan is seen as Tom Sawyer in the film, and the role of Huckleberry Finn is played by Junior Durkin. Both are fifteen years of age. Mitzi is nine.

Paramount has spared no expense or effort in making "Tom Sawyer" the most faithful talkie reproduction of a classic of fiction that has ever been attempted in Hollywood.

AIRPLANES TRAVELED
227,116 MILES WHEN
'HELL'S ANGELS' MADE

A total of 227,116 miles was traversed by "Hell's Angels" airplanes in filming the sky action of Howard Hughes' \$1,000,000 aviation picture, the current attraction at the Capitol Theatre.

Exactly eighty-seven ships, plus a bombing plane and a zeppelin, were employed for the aerial sequences, and these were manned during the eighteen months of production by a total of 137 aviators.

This was the largest air-fleet and personnel ever assembled except by governments, and establishes a record for all time in movie-making.

SUE CAROL PLAYS
AT THE COLUMBIA
IN OUTDOOR DRAMA

The well-known cat in the strange garret had nothing on Sue Carol when she appeared on "The Lone Star Ranger." Fox Movietone all-talking romantic and thrilling drama, now showing at the Columbia, set to portray the character of Mary Aldridge. Sue had been playing "flapper" types in so many pictures that she felt herself in a strange atmosphere, but soon adapted herself to the part and declared it was a relief to enact a role that gives her a chance to be human and sympathetic.

George O'Brien plays the leading male character, Buck Duane, who circumstances compel to "become an outlaw, but one with a heart—which he eventually loses.

MISS M. CHURCHILL
PLAYS IN "BIG TRAIL"
OPENING MONDAY

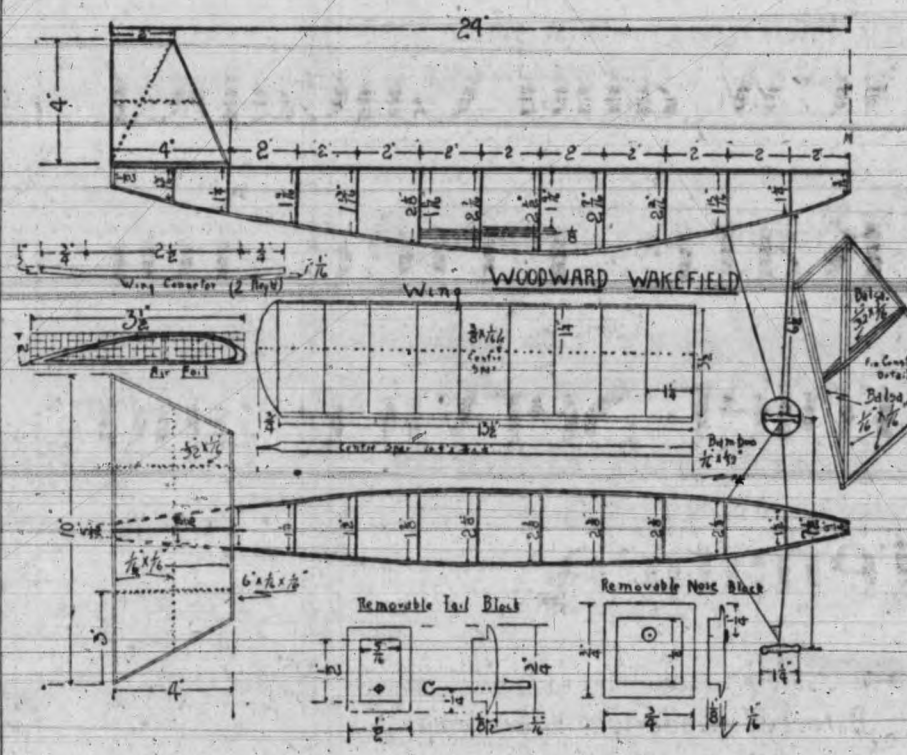
Louise Churchill, beautiful Fox film actress, who has played a girl of wealth and social standing in practically every one of her audible screen appearances to date, abandoned the drawing rooms for the great open spaces and found the latter atmosphere gave her her greatest thrill.

As "Ruth Cameron" in Raoul Walsh's "The Big Trail," coming to the Capitol Theatre for six days on Monday, Fox all-talking picture, dedicated to the pioneer trail blazers to the West, Miss Churchill, who, until her start in the picture, had never been out of a big city, never seen an Indian or a prairie, had to undergo plenty of hardships while the Walsh company was on the actual trail. She not only failed to complain but actually enjoyed every moment of the adventure, and when not called for work, drove her cow pony out on the desert, high up in the mountains, or wherever the company happened to be at work.

It was quite fitting that Walsh selected her for the typical American girl in "The Big Trail," for when she was sixteen years of age, 20,000 Campfire Girls voted Miss Churchill the "Ideal American Girl."

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This week The Times presents an official Wakefield Commercial model designed by Walter Alder. It is highly advisable to build this model, or keep the plans on file for future use, as the Wakefield event will be regarded as the major class in this season's city, provincial and Dominion championship contests. This model embodies rigid construction in the fuselage, wings and empennage to withstand the strain that the necessary waterproof doping will produce. If you take care in building the model you can readily expect flights of one and a half minutes to two minutes from it, rain or shine, R.O.G.

To build this very interesting model you will require the following material: One 1/4-inch by 3-inch sheet of balsa; one 1/8-inch by 3-inch sheet of balsa; 12 feet by 1/4-inch by 1/32-inch rubber; a foot of No. 10 piano wire; three feet of 1/16-inch by 1/32-inch bamboo; three balsa "prop" blocks, 10-inch by 1/4-inch by 1/4-inch, 11-inch by 1/4-inch by 1/4-inch, 12-inch by 1/4-inch by 1/4-inch, respectively; two sheets of Imperial-Jap tissue; one piece balsa 1/4-inch by 3/16-inch by 2-inch, two pieces balsa 1/4-inch by 1/4-inch by 4-inch, eight steel washers, ambroid, banana liquid, dope.

Begin with the fuselage. Sand your sheet of 1/4-inch balsa down to 3/32-inch, and then cut it into 3/32-inch square strips for longerons and the built-up bulkheads. The cutting can be very neatly accomplished by using a razor blade and straight-edge. To assemble the fuselage, make a full-size pencil sketch of the side, cover it with wax paper and then pin down the longerons and vertical bulkheads until the ambroid is dry. Do not stick any pins through the balsa. The two sides dry, assemble them by

ambroiding the horizontal bulkheads in place. This may be a ticklish job, but the finished fuselage will encourage you. Before proceeding further, check the alignment of the fuselage and insert the wing slots (3/32-inch square balsa). You may now cover the fuselage and dope it. This is one unit completed.

The next unit is the tail assembly, which, when completed, is simply ambroided at union points to the top of the fuselage. In making the fin, note the diagonal spar and the one rib, which is made from two correct lengths of 1/32-inch by 1/16-inch balsa, curved around it and wedged between the leading and trailing edge. The stabilizer is constructed in a similar way. Refer to the diagram for dimensions. Cover and dope the stabilizer and rudder separately. The rudder is ambroided to the centre rib of the stabilizer so that the plane will circle slightly to the right. This is the second unit completed and is attached to the fuselage as previously mentioned.

LANDING GEAR The landing gear is simply four bamboo struts, the lower ends of each pair being firmly webbed with half-inch balsa gussets. The wheel hubs are made from washers ambroided to the centre of the wheel on each side. The axles are simply stick pins, bent to shape, anchored with ambroid in the balsa web.

The wings are rectangular with 1/4-inch bamboo tips 1/4-inch square. The ribs (see diagram for airfoil) are made from 1/16-inch sheet balsa and ambroided to a 1/16-inch outline. At a distance 1 1/2 inches from the rib-nose the 1/16 by 1/4 by 1/32-inch balsa centre spar fits snugly in place. The leading edge is 1/16 by 1/4-inch balsa.

Where To Go To-night

ON THE SCREEN

As Advertised

Capitol—"Hell's Angels," starring Ben Lyon.
Columbia—"The Silent Enemy," with Geo. O'Brien.
Dominion—"Tom Sawyer," with Jackie Coogan.
Playhouse—"Borrowed Wives," starring Vera Reynolds.

Crystal Garden—Swimming, Dancing and Miniature Golf.

"THE SILENT ENEMY" IS THRILLING PLAY AT THE COLISEUM

Back from Northern Ontario, William D. Burden and William C. Chanler have brought a stirring story in motion pictures of the life of the Ojibway Indians as they were before the advent of the white men. Not only is the picture a realistic picture of Indian life, it is a romantic story filled with the thrills, love, customs, dangers and interesting superstitions of the first inhabitants of the American continent. The picture is called "The Silent Enemy."

The story is so much more than the customary travel picture made in the wilderness, in its dramatic narrative of the struggle of a primitive people to survive, that it was taken over by Paramount. It is showing at the Coliseum Theatre, starting to-day.

PAUL HURST PLAYING IN "BORROWED WIVES" AT THE PLAYHOUSE

Paul Hurst, who plays a motorcycle cop in the Tiffany farce comedy drama, "Borrowed Wives," current at the Playhouse Theatre, always plays comedy characters. In private life he has been an aviator for fifteen years, has ridden motorcycles off beach piers and been in the hospital on account of it! And has acquired real estate and other items of wealth without benefit of money.

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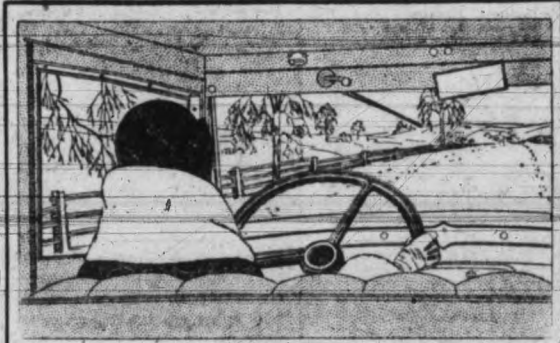
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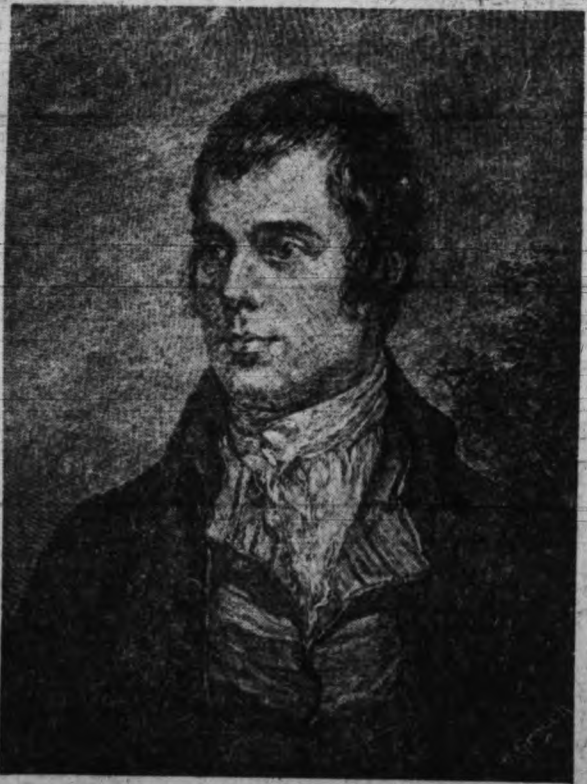
Be on Hand Early Monday Morning---9 a.m.

MUSIC DEPARTMENT

Third Floor, HBC

FIRST BURNS ANNIVERSARY HELD IN ALLOA IN YEAR 1859

Mrs. Mary Crawford Herd of Victoria is Daughter of Original Host, John Crawford; Report of Gathering in Alloa Journal and Clackmannanshire Advertiser of the Day.



"A quantity having been mixed in the bowl, toddy was brewed, after which the chairman rose and proposed the toast of the evening—'The Immortal Memory of Burns.'"

The above lines, of great interest to Scotsmen throughout the world in view of to-day's anniversary of the birth of Scotland's bard, are taken from a report in The Alloa Journal and Clackmannanshire Advertiser of the first Burns' anniversary ever held. This anniversary, which took place on January 25, 1859, was incidentally the centenary of the poet's birth and was called by the host of the evening, John Crawford, "The Gathering of the Bards."

Crawford was himself a poet of considerable reputation in Scotland and invited to his anniversary dinner a number of his country's bards. Thus it was called "The Gathering of the Bards."

Of special interest to Victorians is the fact that the daughter of Mr. Crawford, Mrs. Mary Crawford Herd, is in Victoria at 1132 Johnson Street and possesses a number of interesting

relics of the first anniversary meeting organized by her father. Toward the end of John Crawford's book of poems, "Doric Lays," is an account taken from The Alloa Journal and Clackmannanshire Advertiser of 1859 of the gathering. Part of which is quoted above. Also in the book are the words that appeared on the original invitation cards of Mr. Crawford:

"Sir:—You are cordially invited to attend a Meeting of our Local Poets in my house, on Tuesday, 25th January, 1859, in Celebration of the Centenary of the Birth of Scotland's Ploughman Minstrel."

"Dinner on the Table at Seven o'clock p.m."

I am, Yours aye,
 John Crawford.
 Broad Street,
 Alloa, January 1, 1859."

The list of the names of the evening is very extensive. It includes, beside the one to Burns, toasts to the Queen and to Sir Walter Scott—"The enchanting tones of whose chivalric lyre shall

only cease to delight mankind—when rapt in fire the realms of ether glow, And heaven's last thunder shakes the world below."

The Alloa Journal and Clackmannanshire Advertiser describes the many objects dear to the hearts of all Scots and lent to Mr. Crawford for the occasion. Burns' punch-bowl was on view and a snuff-mull belonging to Highland Mary's father. The report continues:

"The company met at seven o'clock and sat down to a repast which would have done honor to the halls of the first aristocracy in the land. Fish, fowl, venison, etc., were in abundance, all of which came from localities celebrated in Scottish song. . . . Numerous poems and songs written in special honor of the 'gathering' were then given, the recitation of which took about two hours, and an able and eloquent tribute was paid to the memory

of the poet by Mr. Alexander Johnstone of Edinburgh."

The report concludes: "The Flute Band, who paraded the town, drew up at Mr. Crawford's door and played several Scottish airs in honor of his 'gathering' and were handsomely treated. The affair was a great success; and we doubt much if another meeting of the kind took place in the whole world. The manner in which the edibles were prepared by Mrs. Crawford, and in which everything was served up, merit the highest praise."

All these interesting particulars are contained in "Doric Lays," which was lent to The Victoria Times by the late author's daughter. The book originally belonged to Mr. Crawford himself, but in 1868 he presented it to Robert H. Jamieson, who shortly before his death here two years ago gave it to Mrs. Herd. Mrs. Herd's own copy had been destroyed by fire.

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—Hardware

—Third Floor, HBC

HBC GROCERIA

CARRY—SAVE

Through the Turnstiles for These Savings Monday

Sunlight Soap, carton, **17¢**
 B.C. No. 5 Peas, 2 tins for, **16¢**
 King-Beach Golden Bantam Corn, No. 3 tins, 2 tins for, **25¢**
 Corned Beef, No. 1 tin, **19¢**
 H.P. Sauce, per bottle, **25¢**
 Instant Postum, large tin, **42¢**
 4-lb. packet Chateau Cheese and 1 packet Macaroni for, **23¢**
 Mac's Best Tomatoes, 2 large tins **25¢**
 Royal City Pork and Beans, 2 tins for **19¢**

Grated Pineapple, No. 3 tins, Extra special, 2 tins for **25¢**
 Libby's Fancy Prunes, 2-lb. carton **19¢**
 Jif Flaked Soap, large packet, **16¢**

Braid's Lanka Tea, lb., **35¢**
 3 lbs. for **\$1.00**

Sardines in olive oil, 3 tins, **25¢**
 —Quality Food Market
 —Lower Main Floor, HBC

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 1 dozen Local Fresh Pullet Eggs and 1 lb. Boneless Ham, smoked or anyshire, for **60¢**

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 3 dozen for **75¢**
 Swift's Premium Side Bacon, sliced, per lb. **55¢**
 Swift's Back Bacon, sliced, per lb. **45¢**
 Shamrock Hams, whole or half, Special, per lb. **34¢**

English Stilton Cheese, lb., **70¢**
 English Cheshire Cheese, lb., **48¢**
 Dutch Edam Cheese, per lb., **35¢**
FRUITS AND VEGETABLES
 Jamaica Oranges, Special, per dozen, **45¢, 35¢ and 30¢**
 Jamaica Grapefruit, 4 for, **25¢**
 3 for 25¢ and 2 for **25¢**
 Ashcroft Potatoes, per sack **\$3.10**

Sunkist Navel Oranges, large size, No. 176—
 Special, per dozen **39¢**
 Special, per case **\$5.35**

B.C. Netted Gem Potatoes, per sack **\$1.47**
 Special, per case **\$1.15**
 Finest quality B.C. Granulated Sugar
 10-lb. cotton sack **63¢**
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Santa Clara Valley Prunes—
 No. 60-70s, Special, 3 lbs. for **23¢**
 No. 50-60s, Special, 3 lbs. for **27¢**
 Australian Evaporated Apricots, Special, per lb. **17¢**
 3 lbs. for **50¢**

Heinz Soups—Cream of Celery, Green Pea and Corn, tin, **19¢**
 3 tins for **55¢**
 Libby's Sliced Peaches, No. 2 tin, **22¢**
 3 tins for **65¢**
 Quaker Brand Peas, No. 2 tin, size 3, Special at **15¢**
 3 tins for **42¢**

SOAP SPECIALS

Sunlight Soap, Special, per carton **15¢**
 Palmolive Soap, Special at 4 cakes for **25¢**
 Per dozen **70¢**
 —Quality Food Market,
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 —Mezzanine Floor, HBC

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 Peroxide, 4-oz. **19¢**
 Baycol, 4-oz. **19¢**
 Tooth Brushes, regular 35¢ each, for **19¢**
 Boracic Acid, 1 lb. **19¢**
 Olive Oil, 4-oz. Italian **19¢**
 Glycerine and Rose Water **19¢**
 Palmolive Soap, 3 cakes for **19¢**
 Oil of Eucalyptus **19¢**
 1 yard Sterile Gauze **19¢**
 Colgate's Talcum, Cashmere, Rose, **19¢**
 Quet **19¢**
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Announcements

DIED
 DERRY—Passed peacefully away at St. Joseph's Hospital on January 23, Elizabeth Mary Derry, in her thirty-sixth year. She leaves to mourn her loss a son, Arthur, in England, and one sister in Victoria.

Funeral services will be held on Monday, January 26, at 3 p.m., from the St. Joseph's Funeral Parlor, 1155 Yates St., where the casket will be open for viewing. Interment will be in Royal Oak Memorial Park.

WATSON—The death occurred at the residence, 1224 Davis Street, on January 22, of John Watson, aged seventy-three years, born in Southampton, Yorkshire, England, and a resident of this Province for the last thirty-three years. The deceased came to Canada in 1888 and was employed in Montreal with the C.P.R. and later was employed as a clerk in the Victoria branch of the same company. He was married and leaves a widow and one daughter, Mrs. J. C. Watson, who is now residing at 1224 Davis Street. The remains are being held at the Victoria Funeral Home, 1155 Yates St., where the funeral will be held on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment will be made in Royal Oak Memorial Park. (Yorke's papers please copy).

CARD OF THANKS
 Mr. Albert Groves wishes to thank the many friends for their kind words and the many expressions of sympathy and condolence during the last illness and bereavement in the loss of a loving wife. Especially does he wish to thank the nurses and staff of the Victoria Hospital, Dr. Bechtel, and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Groves for their kind and helpful service rendered.

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COMING EVENTS
AMADALE TENNIS CLUB ANNUAL
 dance, K. of C. Hall (9-11), January 30
 O'Neil's orchestra. 215-6-22

COMING EVENTS

(Continued)

AT NEW THOUGHT HALL, 7054 PORT
 Street, to-morrow, Saturday, 9 p.m., dance will be held from 8.30 to 11.30 p.m. Payer's orchestra; admission 25¢. E412-2-20

A 3-ACT PLAY ENTITLED "THREE
 ACTS," by authors C.O.17, Fairfield Church, in the Chamber of Commerce Auditorium, Friday, Jan. 26, 8 p.m. Admission 25¢. E412-2-24

AN ASTRONOMICAL SOCIETY MEETING
 Tuesday, January 27, 8 p.m., at Victoria College, Dr. G. M. Strum of U.B.C. will give an illustrated lecture on "The Aurora Borealis." The meeting is open to the public. 225-1-20

DANCE UNDER THE AUSPICES OF
 Dr. A. P. Barton will be held in Sons of England Hall, Broad Street, opposite Colonial, Wednesday, Jan. 28, 8 p.m. Evelyn Holt's orchestra; refreshments. Admission 25¢. E412-2-24

BRITANNIA BRANCH PARTNER WHIST
 every Monday, 8.30 p.m. First prize, \$10; 2nd prize, \$5; 3rd prize, \$2.50. Admission 25¢. E412-2-20

BASKETBALL AND DANCE, CHARTER'S
 Hall, Sooke, Saturday, January 24, 8 p.m. Minnie's orchestra; refreshments. Admission 25¢. E412-2-20

CLUBS' GENERAL MEETING, (THUR)
 Thursday, 8.30 p.m. Army and Navy Veterans. Admission 25¢. E412-2-20

DANCE—SATURDAY NIGHT, SHIRINE
 Auditorium, Ron Smith's orchestra. (Notice these boys are held 9 to 11 p.m.) E412-2-20

DANCE—LUTON HALL SATURDAY
 January 24, dancing at 8 to 10 p.m. Moulde's orchestra; spot prizes and refreshments. Admission 25¢. E412-2-20

DANCE SATURDAY NIGHT, AMPHION
 Hall, 9 to 12. Evelyn Holt's orchestra. Admission 25¢. E412-2-20

EVERY DAY IS BARGAIN DAY IN THE
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 dances will be held in Sons of Canada Hall, Monday night, 9 to 12. Admission 25¢. E412-2-20

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RAIDERS GINGHAM, MONDAY NIGHT, AM-
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ROYAL COT FORTNIGHTLY CARD
 party, Jan. 29; good prizes, refreshments, 25¢. Masquerade dance for children and adults, Feb. 19. 25¢. E412-2-20

SATURDAY NIGHT DANCES WILL AGAIN
 be held at Sons of Canada Hall; good music and a good dance floor; admission 25¢. E412-2-20

SATURDAY, JAN. 24, 8.30 P.M., EAGLES'
 hall, 1224 Davis Street, on January 24, 8.30 p.m., good prizes, refreshments, 25¢. E412-2-20

THE OFFICERS AND MEMBERS OF MT.
 Vernon Lodge No. 29 A.P. & A.M. will hold their eleventh annual ball in the Agricultural Hall, on Friday, Jan. 24, commencing at 8 p.m. E412-2-20

THE WOMEN OF MOOSEHART LECTON
 will hold their meeting Monday, Jan. 26, in the K. of C. Hall, at 8 o'clock. E412-2-20

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF
 the Pro Patria Branch, Canadian Legion, will be held on Monday, Jan. 26, at 8 p.m. A full attendance of members is desired. E412-2-20

WELSH SOCIETY WHIST DRIVE TO-
 night, 8.30. Good prizes. Everybody welcome. 25¢. 1414 Douglas Street. E412-2-20

8.30—PARTNER WHIST AND DANCE
 Saturday, Jan. 24, 1931, S.O.E. Hall, Pride of the Island Lodge. Prizes: 1st, \$10; 2nd, \$5; 3rd, \$2.50. 25¢. E412-2-20

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A Little Saturday Talk

Two days ago I wrote about "the ways of water," but there was not enough space to tell you many things I had in mind. You may remember that I spoke about water seeping under rocks and over rocks under the soil. What we call "soft" water is a water which contains only a very small amount of hard substance. Main water is very soft when it flows through the ground. Water in lakes and rivers is a fairly soft.



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Work Out To-morrow

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win for the locals in the mainline match will make Victoria's chances of getting into play-offs certain, and may bring them the coveted silverware.

To improve the quality of seeds sown, the Latvian government has placed the control of trade and importation of all seeds in the hands of the Ministry of Agriculture.

CROSSWORD PUZZLE



1 Down: clear water.

2 Across: is president of—?

3 Across: river is in—?

4 To ventilate.

5 Drove bee.

6 Froze water.

7 Beret.

8 Shrub with purple flower.

9 To fondle.

10 Relating to morning.

11 Victory in India.

12 Pertaining to thief.

13 Patrick Henry was famed as—?

14 To contrive.

15 Tendency.

16 To wash in.

17 To frost.

18 To permit.

19 Workman.

20 Provided food.

21 English.

22 Black and blue.

23 Negative adverb.

24 Verb.

25 To forbid.

26 Nod.

27 Beast of burden.

28 Shelter.

29 Where is Havana?

30 Early.

31 To allot.

32 Soft mass.

33 God of the sky.

34 Projection of a lock.

35 Own.

36 Since.

37 Home of a beast.

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Bill Tilden (left), famous tennis player, is shown signing with Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer for a series of short films dealing with tennis. Major Edward Dowes is closing the deal which turned Tilden from amateur to professional.

DAILY HEALTH SERVICE

Hot Baths Aid In Control Of Mysterious Disease Of Skin

By DR. MORRIS FISHBEIN

Psoriasis is a common disease of the skin in which there are round, reddened, dry, scaly patches of various sizes. These usually appear first on the scalp, the ears and the outer surfaces of the limbs.

The cause of psoriasis is unknown. Although hundreds of studies have been made in an effort to determine its origin. In various cases the disease progresses in various ways. Sometimes it begins in a small spot and remains fairly well localized in that spot. In some cases it spreads gradually, finally tending to cover a considerable part of the surface of the body.

Occasionally cases clear up spontaneously, but again they recur, becoming more and more severe. Specialists in disease of the skin classify various types of eruption, depending on the nature of the eruption itself and on the extent and manner of spread.

The experience of a few specialists with various methods of treatment is an indication of the fact that no single treatment is efficient in all cases. It is generally agreed, however, by practically all investigators of this disease that the removal of the scales by frequent hot baths and the application of suitable remedies tends to keep the skin in fairly good condition.

It is well known that certain foods tend more than others to be associated with eruption on the skin, and many persons with psoriasis have been improved by avoiding shell foods, strawberries, red meats, coffee, tea and alcohol.

The fact that some cases clear up spontaneously has made it possible for quacks of all types to announce that they have specific cures. Many persons with psoriasis seem to improve when exposed to ultra-violet rays, whereas others seem to get worse and far more fail to respond in any way whatever.

It is probably best for the person who is afflicted with this condition to consult a specialist in diseases of the skin at fairly frequent intervals so that the progress of the condition may be watched, and proper methods of treatment applied as needed.



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Rotarians to Hear Lieutenant-Governor and U.B.C. Dean; Pictures For Kiwanians

Rev. Dr. E. H. Oliver, M.A., Ph.D., F.R.S.C., Moderator of the United Church of Canada, will address the Men's Canadian Club at a special luncheon in the Empress Hotel next Saturday on the cryptic topic, "The One and The Many." At the meeting members of the Women's Canadian Club and the New Education Fellowship will be guests.

Dr. Oliver, who is principal of St. Andrew's College, Saskatoon, is widely known as an educationist and writer. Born in Eberts, County Kent, Ontario, Dr. Oliver received his education at the Chatham Collegiate, later going to the University of Toronto. At Knox College, Columbia University, the Universities of Halle and Berlin and Chicago he completed his studies, taking posts as a lecturer in History at McMaster University, and History and Economics at the University of Saskatchewan.

Known as a writer, in 1907 he published "Roman Economic Conditions," later writing "History of Saskatchewan and Alberta," "Early Pioneer Legislation," and "Liquor Control on the Prairies." He was also the author of several pamphlets on the transactions of the Royal Society of Canada.

During the war he was a Lieutenant-Colonel and served with the 10th Regiment as Chaplain. He was also in charge of educational work among the Canadian Forces both in England and France. At the inception of the Saskatchewan Conference of the First United Church in Canada, he was named the first president.

Although little has been derived from the subject of the address, it is expected Dr. Oliver will deal with some subject of interest to Canadians.

TO PRESENT PRIZES

On Thursday Lieutenant-Governor Bruce will present prizes to the winners of the Rotary Club seed growing competition at the club luncheon in the Empress. Later Dean F. M. Clement, of the faculty of Agriculture at the University of British Columbia, will give an address on some appropriate topic.

The Rotary orchestra will play as usual during the luncheon.

To the Land of the Golden Twilight, is the subject of Major Gordon Smith's address before the Kiwanis Club in the grill-room of the hotel on Tuesday. The address will be illustrated with moving pictures, which will show scenes of the country around Lillooet, Hope, Hazelton, the Cariboo and Smithers. A reel will also be displayed of a rodeo at Williams Lake.

The activities carried on by the Boys' Work Division of the Y.M.C.A. with particular reference to those of the group maintained by the Gyro Smith's address before the Kiwanis Club in the grill-room of the hotel on Tuesday. The address will be illustrated with moving pictures, which will show scenes of the country around Lillooet, Hope, Hazelton, the Cariboo and Smithers. A reel will also be displayed of a rodeo at Williams Lake.

Although no meeting has been called by the Kiwanis for next week, arrangements for a ladies' night on February 19 have been taken up by the program committee under the direction of A. Helmen.



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Further pursuit of estimates for the year will be given by the School Board at a meeting next Wednesday night.

At the camera session of the Police Commission held yesterday afternoon George Claydars was reinstated to the police force.

The senior group of the C.G.I.F. of the Fairfield United Church will present a three-act play entitled "Three Pennies" at the Chamber of Commerce auditorium at 8 o'clock next Friday evening. Well-known artists will assist between acts.

A delegation consisting of representatives of several service and other organizations will meet the city parks committee Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock to discuss a proposal for a wild flower garden in the city.

The City Council will meet at 7:30 o'clock Monday night to hear a delegation from the Jubilee Hospital Board which is seeking an increased grant from the city. The Council will also continue consideration of the estimates for the year.

Consideration of a sight test for automobile drivers will be given by the provincial government as the result of a request lodged with Hon. R. H. Pooley, Attorney-General, by members of the railroad fraternity this week. It was pointed out railway engineers were forced to pass such tests and that it was only just the drivers should be made to take it, since color blindness, causing the inability of motor car drivers to distinguish signals was very dangerous. The delegation included representatives of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, the Order of Railroad Conductors, the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen and the Order of Railroad Telegraphers.

ENTERTAINMENT GIVEN PARENTS AT SPROTT-SHAW

An interesting and enjoyable event took place yesterday afternoon at Sprott-Shaw School when the students entertained their parents in the assembly hall of the school. About 140 guests were present, who expressed great pleasure at the demonstrations of the work of the various departments of the school and the results achieved during the year.

James H. Beatty, managing director, welcomed the guests. He outlined the work of the school and dwell especially on the records made by students of Sprott-Shaw School in competitive examinations, referring particularly to civics service examinations and type-writing contests. He expressed his confidence in the young people of today particularly the class of student in training. He told the parents that when they would see a demonstration of how these students could carry out the work of the various contests which were about to take place, they too, would feel assured that the young men and women of today will be able to carry on perhaps more efficiently when their time comes than the generation that preceded them.

Ten students competed in the junior typewriting demonstration, which was won by Miss Yvonne de Brétagne with a record of seventy-one words a minute.

Twelve typists entered the senior demonstration. Miss Iris Gossill won this event, with eighty-four words a minute.

SPEAKING CONTEST

The most interesting feature of the afternoon's programme was given by the public speaking class of the Sprott-Shaw School. Miss J. Campbell presided during this part of the programme and in a clever speech outlined the methods and work of this class. The public speaking contest was divided into two parts—a boys' contest and a girls' contest.

The entries for the boys' contest were: J. Ford, who spoke on "Gold"; W. J. Gray, on "Quarantine Station"; P. Manning on "Keep Smiling"; A. McCorkindale, on "Victoria in 1914"; J. Parker, on "New York City".

The girls who contested were: Miss D. Ashburnham, who dealt with "Aviation"; Miss B. Batty, "The Charns of Victoria"; Miss Y. de Brétagne, "First Aid to the Littered"; Miss J. Campbell, "The Women of Today"; Miss M. Martin, "Life-saving and Swimming".

Major Bullock-Webster, of the B.C. Dramatic School, acted as judge for the contest, and commented favorably on the work of the class which was opened about three months ago at which time he delivered an address on the art of speaking in public.

Major Bullock-Webster declared a tie between Mr. Gray and Mr. McCorkindale in the boys' contest, and in the girls' class he declared Miss Jean Campbell the winner.

SPELLING BEE

The spelling contest, conducted by Alexis Martin, was won after a rigid test by Miss Laura Catterall. Eighteen students entered this contest. The words were prepared by the leading professional and business men of Victoria, and the envelope containing each of these lists of words was opened at the time of the contest.

The musical part of the entertainment consisted of vocal solos by Miss Edna Dilworth and Miss Josephine Charles, piano solos by Miss Iris Gossill and W. J. Gray, and violin solos by Miss Eileen Wilson and Roger Peruliet. Miss Eileen Dumbleton accompanied the soloists.

Following the presentation of prizes Mr. Beatty announced the list of students who were graduated from the school during last year, and who secured the diploma for examinations set and corrected by the Business Educators' Association of Canada.

The following are the graduates: E. M. Jones, R. Stevenson, D. Tyrer, J. Dron, P. Armanon, L. Couch, H. Gijlman, S. Foubister, L. Harper, C. Bartolome, L. K. Smith, J. Schofield, M. Bignin, M. Mossey, M. Pandey, C. Eva, B. Milne, B. Wilson, M. Paul, H. Edwards, R. Smith, J. Hall, E. Howland, R. Raine, D. Stewart, M. Dobbin, L. Thomson, E. Laidman, M. Inrig, L. Robinson, A. Enley, R. McIlroy, O. Young, M. Richardson, D. Carter, M. Trevor, M. Robinson, P. Murchak, L. Mitchell, C. Casillo, M. Hick, B. Borrowman, M. Ready and B. Bastin.

RUBBER AND TIN OUTPUT IS STOPPED

Over-production Responsible For Conditions in Malay States, Says I. H. Geare

Work Is Proceeding on British Naval Base at Singapore

No tin or rubber is being produced today in the Federated Malay States, because of over-production in those commodities, it was stated by I. H. Geare, general manager of the Vacuum Oil Company of New York who reached here today aboard the Empress of Russia from Hongkong.

The price of both tin and rubber is now less than the cost of production, which is an adequate reason for the closing down of operations, said the visitor.

There is a great deal of distress in the more populous sections of the Federated Malay States and scup kitchens are to be found in Singapore. Mr. Geare said that work is proceeding on the British naval base at Singapore.

After visiting the Far East for two decades, Mrs. Geare says conditions were never worse in all his experience.

CHIN SACK WINS WHETHER HE IS RIGHT MAN OR NOT

Mr. Justice Gregory Rules Courts Have Already Decided He Is the Right Man

The much-fought case of Chin Sack, who was refused an immigration certificate because Robert Roff, Canadian Immigration Agent here, did not think he was the right man, and who was decided by the courts to be the right man, has been finally decided in the Supreme Court here by a decision of Mr. Justice Gregory ordering that Chin Sack is the right man the controller of immigration must issue him his certificate.

The last action, now decided, was an application for a writ of mandamus made by C. H. O'Halloran, counsel for Chin Sack. W. C. Moreby, K.C., represented the controller of immigration in the argument before the court.

ROYAL MOUNTED SAANICH CLUB TALK SUBJECT

Veteran Officer to Give Address Before North Saanich Group Thursday

"Thirty Years With the Scarie and Gold" will be the subject of an address by Major E. Telford, former officer commanding the Royal Northwest Mounted Police unit in the Yukon at North Saanich Service Club social supper on Thursday evening next. Members of the provincial police and Royal Canadian Mounted Police and Royal Northwest Mounted veterans will be guests.

Major Telford was one of the original members of the Northwest Mounted Police, which took over the Yukon territory in 1905 and guarded that land against the depredations of such notorious characters as "Sooty Smith," whom they never allowed to invade their land.

Around the heroic band that represented the long arm of the law in the wild country have sprung up traditions of courage which have become bywords throughout the nation.

Many heroic incidents are expected to be told graphically by the speaker in his address.

As usual the regular concert programme, dance and refreshments will be included.

FREE WHEELING COMES TO STAY

New Auto Feature Causes Saving of One Gallon of Gas For Every Five Gallons Used

Last Thursday an accurate test of free wheeling was made by Jameson Motors Limited, distributors of Studebaker motor cars for Vancouver Island, which proved there is a saving of one gallon of gasoline for every five gallons used. In other words, the free-wheeling feature, as in Studebaker, means four gallons will do as much mileage as five gallons in the regular geared car of the same piston displacement and weight.

The test proved that the new free wheel Studebaker Six, which develops more than seventy horsepower and weighs 3,000 pounds, got more than twenty-three miles to the gallon of gasoline. The mileage is phenomenal for a car of this calibre. In the ordinary geared car of the same weight and power without the free wheel feature, the average mileage for such a car is between fifteen and sixteen miles to the gallon, which means a saving of at least six miles to the gallon with free wheeling.

The above facts further prove that in the near future all makes of cars will incorporate the free-wheeling feature, and that free wheeling has come to stay.

Sea Cadet Colors To Be Consecrated

The colors of the Navy League Sea Cadets will be consecrated to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock at Christ Church Cathedral, when Very Rev. C. S. Qualtrough, D.D., Dean of Columbia will officiate at a special service.

The consecration will be witnessed by Lieutenant-Governor Bruce, Miss MacKenzie, Premier and Mrs. Tolmie Mayor and Mrs. Anson and naval and military officers.

The band of the Fifth B.C. Coast Brigade Canadian Artillery will provide the music and the pipe band of the Canadian Scottish regiment will be in attendance.

The chapters of the I.O.D.E. will be represented by their standard bearers and large attendances of Boy Scouts and Girl Guides will be present.

SCOTSMEN ENJOY BURNS CONCERT

St. Andrew's and Caledonian Society Hold Benefit Celebration; Well Attended

Scottish residents of Victoria gathered in large numbers at the A.O.F. Hall yesterday evening to participate in the celebration of the anniversary of the birth of Robert Burns, the poet. The affair was held under the auspices of the St. Andrew's and Caledonian Society, and J. G. Brown was the efficient chairman.

During the serving of a delicious repast, the president, D. Balmage, proposed the toast to "The Immortal Memory," and the bagpiper piped in the "Glenlivet." After the supper a fine programme was enjoyed. Pipers J. Marr and A. Pollock played the opening number, "My Love's Like a Lassie Yet," followed by a solo by Mark King, "Scots Wha Hae." Miss Isabel Crawford sang "The Road to the Isles," and Miss Marjorie Watson and W. C. Fyfe sang a duet, "The Crooked Bow." With "Come Under My Plaidie" as an encore, Master Bobby McVie was heard in the songs "The Wedding of Sandy McNab" and "The Waggle of the Kilt." Mrs. Discombe sang "There's a Mac Luck About the House," and Miss Adele Grant sang two Scottish dances. W. C. Fyfe, G. Warnock and D. Lowden sang a trio, and P. Davidson gave a violin solo. Songs by Mrs. Jack Doble, "Sprig of Purple Heather," and "Flow Dear Sweet Afton," brought the programme to a conclusion.

Dancing was enjoyed until 1 o'clock with D. Wallace as master of ceremony and F. Davidson's orchestra providing the music. The proceeds of the affair will be used to aid members in needy circumstances.

GIVES LECTURE ON ICE FIELDS

Major F. V. Longstaff Shows Views of Bridge River at Memorial Hall

An illustrated lecture on "An Expedition Into the Bridge River Country" was given yesterday evening at Memorial Hall by Major F. V. Longstaff. The speaker, who is a well-known explorer, showed the great ice fields where six rivers have their headwaters. The expedition included two Swiss guides and left Sossun Lake on September 2 in the journey requiring six weeks. Because of the low altitude of the ice fields the party found it necessary to do much tree cutting to attain unobstructed photographs.

Major Longstaff told of climbing Obsevation Peak and mentioned a storm of snow and rain which continued without intermission for forty-eight hours.

The pictures showed icefields extending twelve miles in length and the lecturer stated that the aggregate area covered with ice was approximately 380 square miles.

Major Longstaff announced intention to lead another party into the Bridge River country next August.

OBITUARY

Funeral services for the late Elizabeth Mary (Betty) Derry, who died yesterday, will be held at the St. Andrew's Episcopal Church on Monday, at 2 o'clock. Interment will be in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

The death took place yesterday at the Royal Jubilee Hospital of Henry A. Polen, of Jordan River, aged seventy-two years, a native of Ohio, United States of America, and a resident of British Columbia for ten years. His remains are resting at the Thomson & Fetterly Funeral Home, pending funeral arrangements.

The funeral of Lee Ping Hui was held from the B.C. Funeral Chapel yesterday afternoon, interment being made in the Chinese Cemetery.

The remains of John Watson, who passed away at his residence, 1224 David Street, on January 22, are resting at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, from where the funeral will take place on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment will be at Royal Oak Burial Park.

WILLIAM LITTLE LEAVES \$18,283

The late William Little, prominent in Scottish and bowling circles, who died last October, left an estate of \$18,283. Probate of the will was granted in the Supreme Court here today.

Other wills granted probate are: Clement Allen, Victoria, died January 4, 1931, \$3,822.

Charles Angus MacKay, Victoria, died November 26, 1930, \$13,561.

RAILWAYS ARE CHINA'S NEED, SAYS EXPERT

Lack of Communications Retarding Development, Says J. Lockhart, Nanking Adviser

Great Exodus From Central Provinces to Fertile Plains of Manchuria

"Lack of communications is retarding development in China. Solve the problem of internal strife, which is sapping the strength of the nation; give the country an uninterrupted period of peace and a remarkable transformation will soon be apparent."

Briefly put, this is the opinion of J. Lockhart, former adviser to the Chinese Government railway administration and a resident of China for the last twenty years, who arrived in Victoria this morning by the Empress of Russia from the Orient. He advised the old Manchu Government and has acted in a similar capacity to the new republic.

Mr. Lockhart has severed his association with Chinese railway administration to accept an appointment as traffic superintendent on the Great Northern Railway of Ireland.

ROLLING STOCK SUFFERED

"China's railways and rolling stock have suffered heavily as the result of unrestricted warfare by conflicting factions," said Mr. Lockhart. "Only seventy-five per cent of the rolling stock has been in the hands of the military for years, bridges blown up and the trackage impaired by the constant raids by usurping military forces and bands of outlaws."

"With Sun-Fo, son of the late Sun Yat Sen, in charge of communications, however, China's railways are in good hands. He at least has a good knowledge of what the country needs and is doing his best in grappling with a difficult situation."

"Some forty per cent of the rolling stock," he said, "has been recovered from the military and the railway services are being steadily improved."

A through service has been inaugurated between Nanking, the Nationalist capital, and Mukden, the capital of Manchuria.

Manchuria is benefiting by immigration to-day, more than any other country in the world, said Mr. Lockhart. The exodus from the central provinces of China to the great plains of Manchuria has been proceeding at the rate of from 2,000,000 to 3,000,000 people yearly for the last five years, he said. As a grain-growing territory, Manchuria has a surplus of remarkable fertility, has no rival anywhere in the world. As the buffer state between Soviet Russia and Japan it is inevitable that it will loom large in future events in the Far East.

"All eyes are on Manchuria now," said Mr. Lockhart in terminating the interview.

AGUA CALIENTE ENTRIES

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First race—Six furlongs:	107
Martinez	107
Millard	97
Sunny Corn	113
Ada El Bee	105
Fortunate Girl	110
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Speedy Al	105
Brookside	102
Brookside	105
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Burr Winslow	112
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Phil K.	107
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Haves	112
Brown Bank	107
Weasley Meteor	107
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Second race—One mile and one-sixteenth:	107
Bill Congrave	112
Pat O'Connor	108
Gardner Derr	111
Foreign Club	105
Maudlin	105
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Larkin	111
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Shasta Rock	107
Duchdale	105
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Seagrave	101
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Third race—Fifty and one-half furlongs:	103
Irishman	103
St. Jim	103
Dr. Higgins	111
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Simony	103
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Fourth race—One mile and one-eighth:	102
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Very French	103
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Zeina Mar	100
Elia Madeline	100
Fuss Budget	103

Fifth race—Seven furlongs:	111
Reinsman	111
Miss Chryseine	113
Mary O' Scotland	106
Peggy J.	117
Wes Drop	117
Mirin Louise	117
Red Chili	117
Miss Baggage	117
Clamlet A.	117
Amie D.	111
Princess Peggy	111

Sixth race—One mile and one-eighth:	110
Smillar	110
Lady Beth	102
Sleepy Boy	102
Swifter	103
San Clemente	103
War Light	94
The Choclat	109
McCondie	109

Seventh race—Six furlongs:	109
Nifty	109
Hey Diddle Did	102
Mays	112
Andrews	112
Black Majesty	112
Crofton	95
Easter Stockings	116
Banner Bright	93
Gold Rush	110
Satin Spr	111

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SITTING SATAN TO BE FIRST BAPTIST THEME

Rev. G. A. Reynolds Will Discuss Dangers and Defence of Mankind

Rev. G. A. Reynolds will preach at both services to-morrow at the First Baptist Church. At the morning service he will speak on "The Sitting of Satan, vs. the Prayer of Jesus." The text of the sermon will be taken from Luke xlii 31 and 32. He will discuss the danger, defence and duty of man. The choir will sing Ira Wilson's "Safe in His Love," the duet being by Mrs. Coles and Miss Thelma Lloyd.

"Will Thou Be Made Whole?" will be the subject for the evening service. Questions discussed will include: "What Is Our Present Condition, and Do We Fully Realize It?" The pastor will assert conditions should make men dissatisfied, and will inquire if a remedy is being sought.

Miss May Mason will be the soloist at this service.

An adult Bible class will meet at 10 o'clock, led by Mrs. Spafford. The young people will hold their weekly meeting on Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

The mid-week service of prayer and praise will be held on Wednesday at 8 o'clock in the parlor of the church.

PAUL'S LABORS WILL BE SHOWN

St. John's Church Will Observe St. Paul's Day To-morrow

To-morrow being St. Paul's Day, dedicated in the church calendar to the conversion of St. Paul, services in St. John's Church will be appropriate for the occasion in music and sermon theme.

There will be Holy Communion at 8 a.m., morning prayer at 11 and evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Rev. Canon F. A. P. Chadwick will preach at both services, basing his sermons on the conversion and the great labors of the Apostle to the Gentiles.

G. Jennings Burnett will give an organ recital immediately before the evening service, commencing at 7:10 o'clock.

The Sunday school will meet at 9:45 o'clock, and the Anglican Young People's Association Bible class will assemble in the church vestry at the same hour.

The confirmation class will meet at 2:30 in the church, when the instruction will be given by Canon Chadwick.

Personalities St. Aidan's Theme

At St. Aidan's United Church Rev. H. J. Armistead will conduct both services to-morrow.

The morning service will be "How Persons Become Personalities," and will show that this takes place when a life has been dedicated in some way to the best interests of humanity.

At the evening service, the sermon will deal with what a man says and what he does "When the Crash Comes."

Musical will be rendered by the choir at each service.

On Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock the Young People's Society will meet, the subject for discussion being "The Clash of Color."

REV. MR. HARBER TO BE SPEAKER

Central Baptist Church to Hear Vancouver Pastor To-morrow

At the Central Baptist Church to-morrow the pulpit will be occupied by Rev. G. H. Harber, pastor of Collingwood East Baptist Church, Vancouver.

Rev. Mr. Harber was a missionary in Africa for several years and has had many experiences amongst cannibals and native tribes. Rev. J. B. Rowell, the pastor, hopes to resume his work in a few weeks.

Will Preach On Gentle Jesus

At Oak Bay United Church to-morrow the story of the junior at the school track meet, "How to Play Fair," will be the theme for the morning service.

The theme for the evening service will be "The Gentleness of Christ," and Rev. W. A. Guy will answer the question, "Does This Mean Non-Resistance?"

The monthly musical service will be conducted by the choir and Young People's Society jointly. The young people studying the lives and work of Mozart and Haydn will illustrate these composers by means of gramophone selections.

The annual meeting of the Oak Bay United congregation will be held on Wednesday at 8 o'clock.

UNITY CENTRE TO HEAR DISCUSSION ON KEY TO HEALTH

At Unity Centre, 739 Yates Street to-morrow at 11 o'clock, Mrs. Gordon Grant will speak on "Forgiveness and What It Is." The juvenile choir will sing "Love Lifted Me."

In the evening the talk will be on "The Key to Health, Happiness and Success," and a piano solo will be given.

On Tuesday the rest and healing hour will be held at 2:45, and on Thursday at 7:45 o'clock the study class will be held.

To Hold Father And Son Supper

A "Father and Son" banquet will be held at the First United Church on Friday, February 6, under the auspices of the "Cardinals Tuxis Society," led by W. C. Thompson. William Holbridge, deputy speaker in the recent Boys' Parliament, will discuss father and son relationships.

The arrangements for the banquet will be made by the women's auxiliary.

DR. BARTON TELLS NEW FEATURES OF CHRIST'S MINISTRY

At the Progressive Thought Temple to-morrow evening Dr. A. P. Barton will speak on "By The Shores of Galilee," and will describe new and interesting features of Christ's ministry.

On Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock Dr. Barton will give a health lecture on "Your Marvelous Circulation."

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The annual meeting of the Guild of Health will be held in Memorial Hall at 8 o'clock on Tuesday evening. Dean C. S. Quinlan will preside, and all members are requested to attend.

The Temptation Of Jesus

And Jesus, being full of the Holy Ghost, returned from the Jordan, and was led by the Spirit into the wilderness.

Being a day, being tempted of the devil. And in those days he did eat nothing; and when they were ended, he afterward hungered.

And the devil said unto him, If thou be the Son of God, command this stone that it be made bread.

And Jesus answered unto him, saying, It is written, That man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word of God.

And the devil, taking him up, into an high mountain, shewed unto him all the kingdoms of the world in a moment of time.

And the devil said unto him, All this power I give thee, and the glory of them: for that is delivered unto me; and to whomsoever I will give it.

If thou therefore wilt worship before me, all shall be thine.

And Jesus answered and said unto him, Get thee behind me, Satan: for it is written, Thou shalt worship the Lord thy God, and him only shalt thou serve.

And he brought him to Jerusalem, and set him on a pinnacle of the temple, and said unto him, If thou be the Son of God, cast thyself down from hence:

For it is written, He shall give his angels charge over thee, to keep thee: And in their hands they shall bear thee up, lest at any time thou dash thy foot against a stone.

And Jesus answering said unto him, It is said, Thou shalt not tempt the Lord thy God.

And when the devil had ended all the temptation, he departed from him for a season.

By WM. E. GILROY, D.D.

If Jesus were in all points tempted like as we are, as a later New Testament writer asserts, the temptations of his life were not confined to one period. The fact is that much of the keenest temptation would seem to have come near the end of his career when he was apparently tempted to turn from the way of the cross.

The three temptations that are recorded at the beginning of the ministry of Jesus, commonly called "the temptation of Jesus," seem to be recorded because of their symbolic meaning. Whatever may have been temptation from without, the reality of each temptation was evidently found in the inward prompting that came to Jesus to turn from the way of holiness and supreme devotion to the ministry of salvation to some more worldly career and achievement.

PROVED HIS HUMANITY

The temptations that assailed the Master were probably all like the temptations that assailed even saints and prophets in their periods of strain or discouragement. Is goodness as real as it seems? the tempter asks. Is the way of sacrifice really worth while? Would not one achieve more by disregarding the goal that is afar off, and following the course that is more expedient and that seems to offer such immediate results? Every man knows how such temptations at times assailed even nobles and the truest of men, and the temptations of the Master mark the reality and completeness of his humanity.

The first temptation lies in the realm of the consciousness of Jesus of his relationship to God and his call to the Messiahship. Already it would seem that the consciousness of his high nature and his high destiny was developing, and the temptation came to test this high mission and calling in a miraculous way.

It may have been the voice from without or the voice from within, but it said, "If thou art the Son of God, command that this stone be made bread."

It was a temptation to test a spiritual mission by a material circumstance of magic. Jesus rejected it decisively. His mission was a spiritual mission, and the test of his divinity was his capacity for ministry to the world needs. So he said, "Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that proceedeth out of the mouth of God."

From the temptation of Jesus we may learn much concerning the nature of temptation, and we can also apprehend that power that enables man to overcome. The temptation of Jesus was a test of his faith, his faithfulness and completeness of his humanity, and it is this humanity that brings his life near to ours. "In that he himself hath suffered being tempted, he is able to succor them that are tempted."

TEMPED TO USE HIS POWER

The second temptation appeared to Jesus in the form of a temptation to use his power to become ruler of the world, and in imagination, the kingdoms of the world, and there came the voice assuring him that if he chose he could attain to world supremacy. It was the

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WILL EXPLAIN LORD'S PRAYER

Rev. J. S. Patterson Offers Interpretation of Beautiful Petition

At Knox Presbyterian Church to-morrow Rev. J. S. Patterson will preach at both services. At the morning worship he will speak on Jesus' answer to the request, "Lord, Teach Us to Pray," and will give an expository interpretation of the Lord's Prayer. At the evening service the sermon theme will be, "The Healing Hand, That Sometimes Cripples."

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Offers Vision Of New Thought

"The Revealing Mind" will be the subject of the address by Rev. Lionel C. Kenworthy to-morrow morning at the New Thought Temple.

The address will be given at 10 o'clock, and will be a most interesting and instructive one. The speaker will discuss the "Revealing Mind" and the "New Thought" movement.

Western leaders of the International New Thought Alliance recently in San Francisco organized the Western Federation of Spiritualists. Mr. Kenworthy was not able to be present but was unanimously elected one of the directors.

Very interesting things are happening in the New Thought movement, and Mr. Kenworthy will speak of them at the evening service.

Nelson Hicks will be the soloist, rendering "The Lord Is My Light" (Alto). Mrs. Clifford Wain will be at the piano.

The mid-week lecture will be on Thursday at 8 o'clock.

FAIRFIELD TO HEAR SAYINGS

Rev. Hugh Nixon Discusses "New Sayings of Jesus" To-morrow Evening

At Fairfield United Church to-morrow Rev. Hugh Nixon will preach both morning and evening. His subject at 11 o'clock will be "The Master's Will," and Tom Anstey, boy soloist, will sing.

The "New Sayings of Jesus" will be the pastor's subject at the evening service. Miss Grace Platt, soprano, will sing. The choir will render anthems at both services.

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WILL PORTRAY JESUS' HUMOR

Rev. H. P. S. Luttrell Will Discuss Lord's "Gnat and Camel" Parable To-morrow

At St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church to-morrow morning Rev. H. P. S. Luttrell, B.A., will preach on "Love's Rejoicing," from I Corinthians xlii 6. "Love rejoiceth not in iniquity, but rejoiceth in the truth." In the evening, Mr. Luttrell will discuss "The Gnat and the Camel," Matthew xxiii 24, as an instance of the humor and irony of Jesus.

At the morning service Miss Isabelle Crawford will sing "Like as a Father," by Brindle Scott, and the choir will render Robert's anthem, "In the Fear of the Lord," William Draper singing the solo.

In the evening Miss Evelyn Telford will sing "My World," by Adams. The choir will sing Caleb Simper's anthem, "Let God Arise."

The monthly meeting of the Victoria Music Teachers' Association, held last Monday morning at its accustomed place of meeting, the Y.W.C.A. Building, is a reminder that there is a group of people operating in the spirit of sincerity in the best interests of a dignified and important calling. Such an organization in any music centre strengthens and adds to the standards of professional musicianship, and much to the musical life of the city.

The main object of such a body is its ethical side—in the adherence of its members to a code of ethics which, if taken seriously, cannot but add to the nobility and to a pleasing and noble occupation. In Vancouver a Music Teachers' Federation, first under the presidency of the well-known violinist conductor, Howard Paul, now presided over by Mrs. Walter Coulthard, distinguished pianist, has been found to be greatly beneficial in that its members have gained new friends, a mutual stimulus and a common purpose for opportunities in the service of the profession.

The local association needs new members. Indeed, it wants all music teachers to come under its life and operations. Every teacher has an importance—some perhaps more than others, but apart from the actual daily giving of lessons, every individual adds to the weight of its influence and to the eloquence of its significance. "Numbers count," Nature's motto, truly says the Federation News, and as there are numbers of good and well-qualified teachers of music in the city there should be enrolled a membership in strength and consequence which will be enabled to meet future needs and decisions without fear or trepidation.

Much has been accomplished by the Vancouver Federation. There is much yet to be attained for the profession. Music credits in all public schools—credits have now arrived in the high schools—the question of a standardization of fees, the qualifications of teachers, a general "Who Who" in the rank and file, and many other matters that are bound to crop up for decision from time to time.

The local association has been in existence less than a year, but even in this short period has placed itself on a firm and sure foundation, with Dr. J. E. Watson and his wife, secretary, Oliver R. Stout, at its head. Several new members have joined last Monday, and a special effort is at present being made to have as many teachers enrolled as possible before the second annual meeting to be held next January 10, 1932.

Every day in the life of the Federation, the means of its organization, its members, and the Society des Nouveaux Jeunes. This intimate friendship between the young artists eager to become known, around the attention of the press, and the journal, by name Henri Collet, who wrote for Comedie, brought out an article in this paper entitled "Les Cinq Russes et les Six Français" (the five Russians and the six Frenchmen), and has attracted considerable interest. For a time Paris spoke of nothing else than the "Six."

These were Auric, Durey, Honegger, Milha

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HISTORY INVOKED TO SHOW
WHEAT RECOVERY IS COMING

Coarse grain prices dragged down to more new lows to-day.

Except for some light snow, weather has been fair throughout the west, milder in Manitoba and unusually mild in southern Saskatchewan and Alberta.

Australian cable to-day says farmers in all states are holding large supplies of wheat owing to the inability to sell at satisfactory prices.

"Grain traders are more bearish than at any time of late and it is said that recent strength had readjusted conditions, but within the last few days there has been a change," The Chicago Tribune to-day says.

"There is said to be no large speculative short interest in the market and the Farm Board is not giving any support."

Nat Murray in his report, says:
"The price of wheat in England has declined four successive years since 1926, when the average was \$1.61 a bushel. A study of years' prices of wheat in England since 1929, that is for 671 years, shows that the price has declined five successive years only four times and never for more than five years."

"In each of the four times, when prices declined five years, the price turned sharply upward in the following several years. If history repeats itself, England is near an upward trend in wheat prices."

WINNIPEG

(By Logan & Bryan)
Winnipeg, Jan. 23.—Wheat was again flat and featureless with prices holding within a narrow range. The market opened fractionally higher, and while there was some fair cash buying the market eased off, but not to the extent of being sufficient to fill the demand. Export sales overnight were quite good for Saturday, being around 150,000 bushels, but strange to say only part of this business was reflected in the local pit.

Some close observers are of the opinion that exporters are not lifting their hedges against some of the sales, an operation that will take place at times. The bulk of the business was finished during the first half hour, after which the market turned quiet with just a small local trade passing. However, there was no selling pressure, offerings being quite light and the market was able to hold steadily at around top levels. There was practically nothing doing in the cash market, but the demand for everything being extremely quiet. Terminals were taking the odd car that was coming out, and spreads were all about unchanged.

The Buenos Aires market closed higher and the weather prospects in Argentina are for clearer weather after week-end. Chicago wheat was a little easier, while corn was about one cent lower. Country offerings in Western Canada on Friday were 550,000 bushels, as compared with 213,000 a year ago. Winnipeg futures closed higher.

Coarse grain prices were featureless, with a little stop-loss selling in evidence. The pressure was quickly off the market and there was no trading. The liquidation was practically finished for the time being at least. Most of the pit trade appears to be spreading between different months. However, the cash demand for oats, barley and rye is extremely small, and it is very difficult to sell much of anything.

Oats closed 1/2 to 3/4 higher, barley 1/2 to 3/4 higher, and rye 1/2 to 3/4 higher. Flax—This market was weak, closing 1/2 to 3/4 down. Scattered liquidation was in evidence, probably based on the better weather prospects for the Argentine. Demand is very poor.

Liverpool due 1/2 higher, based on Winnipeg.

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\$230,000,000 NEW CAPITAL, MOSTLY FROM U.S., FLOWS INTO CANADA DURING YEAR

Toronto, Jan. 24.—Outside investments in Canada increased by approximately \$230,000,000 during 1930, according to an analysis prepared by the Financial Post business year book, 1931. This is \$45,000,000 less than the increase in 1929, and \$15,000,000 less than the increase in 1928, but is considerably above that in any other post-war year.

The cumulative total of outside investments in Canada amounted to \$6,275,583,000 as at the end of 1930, which compares with \$5,145,533,000 at the end of 1929, and \$4,735,935,000 at the end of 1928. Therefore, in the past eight

years, approximately \$1,640,000,000 of outside capital has been invested in Canada.

Of the total outside investment in Canada, 61 per cent is now American, 35 per cent British, and 4 per cent from other countries.

In the eleven years since the war, United States investments in Canada have increased by \$1,609,000,000; British investments have increased only \$22,000,000, and other foreign investments have declined \$29,000,000. In the past five years alone, United States investments have shown a net increase of more than \$1,000,000,000.

De Forest-Crosley Earnings Hold Up

In striking contrast to a number of companies across the border, most Canadian radio manufacturers experienced a very satisfactory year in 1930, and as De Forest-Crosley is one of the leaders in Canada, this company was no exception.

The fiscal year of the company ends March 31, and for the fifteen-month period to March 31, 1930, De Forest-Crosley reported earnings of \$1.61 a share, as against \$1.48 in the previous twelve months, thus showing a good margin of earnings over the 80 cent annual dividend requirements in both periods. For the current year, it is understood that the earnings compare very favorably with the previous period, indicating that there is no danger as to the maintenance of the dividend. At current levels, the yield is approximately 8 per cent, a most attractive return.

De Forest-Crosley is ably and aggressively managed and has apparently firmly established the popularity of its product with the public. While it is impossible to forecast the future of radio sales, De Forest-Crosley would appear to be in an advantageous position to care for any developments.

Teck Hughes has grown into a much bigger mine during the past two years, and with the mill addition (300 tons) coming into operation before March next, profits should step up close to \$1 per share per annum. It is the highest grade gold producer, probably in the world. News from the deep levels, below 3,000 feet, may enhance speculative possibilities.

HOPEFUL CAUTION

"Briefly expressed," a London Stock Exchange firm says, "the world in 1930 became much poorer." This they attribute to the steep decline in commodity prices. In summing up, with very cautious hopefulness, the prospects for 1931, the authors of the brochure consider "there is reason to believe that, broadly speaking, commodity prices have bottomed."

If so, we should find some justification for taking a more cheerful view.

Farm Implement Trade Heavily Cut

Toronto, Jan. 24.—Production from the agricultural implements industry in Canada during 1929 dropped slightly to \$4,659,479, from \$4,109,841 in the previous year, according to the Dominion Bureau of Statistics at Ottawa.

Imports in the same year fell off to \$1,843,326 from \$3,859,400, and exports (including re-exports of foreign-made goods) advanced to \$20,118,978 from \$14,500,412 in 1928.

A calculation made by deducting the exports from the sum of the production and the imports shows that the apparent consumption of agricultural implements fell to \$3,385,827 in 1929, as compared with a corresponding figure of \$66,532,919 in 1928 and \$53,537,820 in 1927.

As was to be expected, total shipments of asbestos during 1930 from the producing districts in the province of Quebec were substantially lower than either 1929 or 1928. Total tonnage shipped last year was 144,214, a decrease of 49,200 tons from the 1929 total of 194,014 tons, and a decrease of 48,280 tons from the 1928 total of 192,494 tons. The falling off in 1930 occurred in all gradings of asbestos. For instance, crude No. 1 is shown at 894 tons, down from 916 in 1929, and 910 in 1928. Crude No. 2 compares as 1,063, against 2,468 and 2,311; fibre, 66,830 tons, against 94,380 and 86,382; shorts in bags, 72,115, against 81,360 and 95,219, and refuse in bulk, 4,212 tons, against 4,684 in 1929 and 8,372 in 1928.

The above figures indicate clearly the contraction in the demand for asbestos during the past year, which works out at about 25 per cent as measured by the shrinkage in total volume of shipments in the year. In company with this lessened volume of buying power there is also to be taken into consideration the fact that prices during the year worked downward so that it would seem apparent that the industry was faced with a far less net, satisfactory ratio of profits to sales than in either of the two preceding years.

North Star Oil Earns About \$1.75

Toronto, Jan. 24.—A satisfactory showing is expected to be revealed in the annual report of the North Star Oil Company Limited, whose fiscal year ended on December 31. Earnings, it is understood, will not be far behind the previous year, when the common earned \$1.75 and the preferred \$2.10. The volume of business in 1930 was satisfactory, it is stated, and the expansion of the company was normal.

SAN FRANCISCO HOLDING TRADE DESPITE SLUMP

San Francisco, Jan. 24.—Foreign trade and shipping traffic in and out of San Francisco Harbor was little affected by the depression in business during 1930, according to the mid-January business review of the Wells Fargo Bank & Union Trust Company of San Francisco.

"Shipping tonnage entering and clearing the harbor during the year," the report states, "totalled 33,365,508 tons, a decrease of only 2 per cent from the record high figure of 1929, but 6.5 per cent heavier than 1927, and 14 per cent heavier than 1928. Customs collections on imports in 1930, totalling \$1,067,370 showed a slight gain (0.15 per cent) over 1929, and were 2 per cent larger than 1928 and 5 per cent larger than in 1927."

Sharp improvement in the building and real estate business in San Francisco during December over recent low levels was reported by that industry. Building permits increased 75 per cent over November, and 42 per cent over the previous December, to a value of \$2,292,388.

Permits issued during the entire year totalled \$22,756,994, or a decrease of 30 per cent from 1929. Commenting further on this industry, the Wells Fargo Bank & Union Trust Company states: "Real estate sales totalling \$6,105,771 in December were reported; this was 16 per cent more than in November and 20 per cent more than a year ago. The total for the year, \$64,875,630, was 12 per cent below 1929 and the smallest since 1921."

Mid-January reports indicate that retail volume is keeping even with or surpassing that of January, 1930 and January, 1929, which have been only fair, seem to be improving.

"Representative San Francisco retailers," the review declares, "report for the most part that while as many or more sales were made during the past holiday season than a year ago, the number of items per sale and the average price per item were smaller; accordingly, December volume reports show declines of from 5 per cent to 20 per cent in dollar value."

Automobile sales at twelve leading department stores in the city, in December, showed an average decrease of 9.3 per cent from December, 1929, making the total for the year 7 per cent less than in 1929.

While post office receipts amounted to \$9,090,597, representing a decrease of 2 per cent from 1929, they showed a gain of 1 per cent over 1928. Automobile sales of passenger and commercial vehicles totalled 20,190 during 1930, which was 20 per cent more than in 1929, the record year, but were equal to 1928 and 10 per cent more than 1927.

WHITNEY LETTER

New York, Jan. 24.—Whitney of the Wall Street Financial Bureau says:

"In the complete absence of fundamental justification, the market nevertheless continues to stage its rather strong technical rally and looking into the days ahead, it is certainly to be said that the technical symptoms point to more advance."

"It may be perfectly possible that towards the end of Monday's session the market will have some setback but in the meantime there is little reason to look for any drying-up of the momentum we have already seen. There is little doubt as to what is putting stocks up, and I believe it is being clearly shown that the largest advances are being registered by the stocks which are the most overvalued, or, in other words, we are getting rises which display a clearly-defined characteristic of being exactly in proportion to the individual stock's interest."

"The development that this points to is, of course, that the stocks which have gone up the most are due to fade out first, with new groups coming through which represent a number of other issues, which have been running rather high but which have not as yet actually moved. It may well be that the latter group is being held in reserve to pull the market out of whatever reactionary tendencies set in early next week, in which case they will provide the means of maintaining the rally for the full period which has been pointed out here as representing its possibilities and which would call for another installment of the move to carry the market upwards into the latter part of the coming week. As any rate the stocks which are now on the move appear well able to continue doing more of the same over the week-end and well into Monday's session, so that the thing to do is simply hold them for a moderate addition to present profits."

COMMENT: "The rail group should be pretty well featured in the next two or three days, even if there is no evidence of a turn in their fundamentals. What is making them go up is simply that a strong investment demand has been created by their severe declines which have brought them down to bedrock values as going concerns with years of ploughed back assets, highly perfected mechanical organizations and representing the country's most basic industry."

Baltimore and Ohio, Chesapeake and Ohio, Lackawanna, New York Central, Southern Pacific and Union Pacific are certainly worth more than present prices.

"General motors should have little difficulty in crossing forty in line with the balance of the market leaders, all of which appear well able to add two or three points to last night's closing prices before the current phase of advance gives way to any setback."

Hull, England, has decided to conduct all funerals from the workhouse by direct labor, and will have its own hearse, coach and top-hatted pallbearers.

BANKERS' VIEWS DIFFER WIDELY ON BUSINESS

SPECULATION

"Speculating, as distinct from gambling, is the act of judging the future. It involves the careful weighing of all data having any bearing on the subject in question," a broker quotes again.

Financial Notes

Montreal, Jan. 24.—It is rumored in the "Street" that National Steel is being groomed for a move. With the amount of business already on hand, it is estimated that the company should be able to show earnings equal to at least twice dividend requirements for the year ending June 30 next. The company is well entrenched financially, with its plant being modern and in excellent shape to care for any additional business that may be offered. At the moment, the company is operating at about 50 per cent capacity, with sufficient market sponsorship to maintain this rate until the end of its fiscal year, June 30, 1931. The small capitalization of the company and the small floating supply, lends itself to wide fluctuations. At current prices, the stock is only four points above its record low, and as it enjoys excellent market sponsorship, it would not be at all surprising if the security was shortly taken in hand.

DOMINION BRIDGE LETTER: Dominion Bridge is another company that is well liked around the "Street," and appears to be the logical leader of the local industrial group in any general forward movement. The company is branching out into several new lines and is becoming affiliated with strong interests in the United States. With the amount of business on hand and in prospect, it is apparent that the company will be found to operate at a good rate for some considerable time, thus making it attractive to the trader. The current yield of 7 per cent is also attracting investors, and a great deal of stock has been bought outright and put away in strong boxes.

BUYING IN MONTREAL POWER: With the annual statement of Montreal Power due within the next ten days, some share-buying has occurred in the stock. Some investors do not like "Power" for the reason that the return is very small. The ones that are this opinion are rather short-sighted, for the security over a period of time, yields a much higher return than many industrial shares, when appreciation is taken into consideration. With the company steadily increasing its investment account, any appreciation in the market in the next few years should be most important to the company and will find considerable reflection in its market price. Practically every broker in the Street is bullish on Montreal Power.

DOMINION STEEL AND COAL: From the financial point of view, reaching Financial Street from authoritative sources over 75 per cent of the various shares of British Empire Steel Corporation have been sold. The new Dominion Steel and Coal Corporation. This is regarded as quite satisfactory in view of the wide distribution of the Besco shares.

MCCOLL-FRONTENAC: A considerable amount of profit-taking made its appearance in McColl-Frontenac, but as soon as such selling was absorbed the stock advanced back. The Street heard nothing new about the negotiations which have been under way for some time but the action of the stock would indicate that further particulars are expected shortly—perhaps after to-day's conference.

OVERNIGHT NEWS: Expansion in the number of service stations of Imperial Oil Limited in Montreal is evidenced by a planned expenditure of \$250,000 by the company for the work along these lines. The largest of these stations will cost \$75,000, and construction of all the contemplated structures will start shortly as a means of aiding the unenviable situation.

ST. LAWRENCE CORPORATION MERGER: Shareholders of St. Lawrence Paper have just received notification that over 95 per cent of the common shares of this company have been exchanged for the common shares of St. Lawrence Corporation. The latter says that trading in St. Lawrence Paper has practically ceased and application has been made to the Montreal and Toronto stock exchanges to withdraw that stock from listing. Bromption common shareholders have also been notified that the same step has been taken regarding that stock, as over 98 per cent of Bromption common has been exchanged for Class A preferred of St. Lawrence Corporation.

THIS BABY SWALLOWED A PIN

When seven-month-old Bonnie Jean Black of Chicago swallowed a safety pin, her life was despaired of. However, she was taken to Presbyterian Hospital, where physicians located the pin by using a biplane fluoroscope, an X-ray device used for the first time by the medical profession. Then, by using a bronchoscope, the pin was removed. This shows Dr. Edwin McGinnis performing the operation which saved Baby Jean's life.

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A second reading of the annual stockholders' address of Albert H. Wiggin, chief officer of the Chase National Bank of New York, shows that he does not favor the Hoover policy inaugurated in Washington early in 1930, for the purpose of keeping up prices, wages and new construction.

"That policy has failed," said Wiggin. "It is an old-fashioned, orthodox, conservative banker who doesn't have much patience with banking theories, unless 'they' work."

Every business man should read the annual addresses this year of C. E. Neill, general manager of the Royal Bank of Canada, Paul Warburg, chairman of the Manhattan Company, and Albert H. Wiggin, of the Chase National, to realize how far apart in banking theory many of the leading bankers really are. No wonder the man on the street wonders what he has most to fear from the theories of banking. And one needs only to take their word for it.

MacMillan Hopeful Of Lumber Pick Up

Montreal, Jan. 24.—The lumber industry suffered from overproduction along with the rest of the world's business, but conditions are picking up all along the line if "we will all get down to hard work and quit thinking about depression," H. R. MacMillan of Vancouver, newly elected director of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, told the lumbermen's club here yesterday.

The talk of Russian lumber flooding the market was wrong, the speaker said, pointing out that in spite of the fact that Russian lumber had a 2,000-mile haul to Great Britain, another 2,000 miles to British Columbia, 9,000 miles, exports of Douglas fir to Great Britain had been increased during the year.

BYNG'S POST AS HEAD OF LONDON POLICE DEBATED

London, Jan. 24.—Viscount Byng's prolonged holiday on the Riviera since November is awakening Laborite demands for his resignation as commissioner of the Metropolitan Police Force of London.

The London Daily Herald declared the Laborites' original objection to the appointment of Viscount Byng had been overruled on the ground of the stern necessity of cleaning up Scotland Yard, yet the commissioner had been absent through ill health at least thirteen months since his appointment, and was still holidaying despite the death of Deputy Commissioner Sir Charles Royle.

The newspaper demanded a successor be appointed promptly to deal with the growing list of unsolved murders, car bandits and bag-snatching crimes.

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Dorothy Dix's Letter Box

What May a Wife Expect of Her Husband After Marriage?—No Key to Secret of Charm. Shall the Man With Five Children Divorce His Wife to Marry a Woman With Four?

DEAR MISS DIX—I am to be married soon. Can you give me the do's and don'ts of married life? What should I expect of my husband after the honeymoon wanes? What little household duties am I to expect him to perform? I am planning my little flat. What will my future husband need for comfort? I want him to love his home.

TWENTY-TWO.

Answer—The do's and don'ts of marriage are as endless as the do's and don'ts of life. They vary with every hour of the day and every turn of circumstances. Nobody can make a list of them for you. You will have to work them out for yourself.

But among the do's that I would suggest to any young wife are these: Love your husband and make him feel your affection always about him like a soft, warm garment. Pet him. Flatter him. Tell him how handsome and wise and brave and strong you think he is. Don't drop the line that captured him as soon as you get married.



Keep yourself neat and tidy. Doll yourself up for him on an evening and, above all, never fail to put on a pretty, bright house dress in the morning. The picture of you as you look at the breakfast table is the one that he will carry in his mind all day.

Be cheerful and gay. Keep your little worries to yourself. Your husband has heard all the disagreeable things he can stand downtown during the day. Learn to be a good cook and a nice housekeeper. No man would stay in love with even a siren if she sat him down when he was hungry to an ill-cooked dinner. If you want your husband to stay by his fireside, you have to make it pleasant and comfortable.

Read the new books and the papers and magazines so as to keep up to date and make yourself an interesting companion. More wives lose their husbands through boring them than in any other way. Belong to clubs and have interests outside of the home. Dress as well as you can possibly afford. Be domestic, but not too domestic. No women are so dull and stupid as those who have no interest outside of their own homes and families.

Be amiable. A soft answer turns away wrath and prevents a quarrel. Admit your mistakes and say that you are sorry for them. No vamp can prevail against the wife who is sweet-tempered and good-natured and who laughs off her husband's faults and weaknesses instead of raising ructions over them.

Among the don'ts are: Don't live with any of your husband's family and don't let any of yours live with you. Don't always be throwing your mother in your husband's teeth and telling him that mother says he should do this and mother says he should do that. Don't wait to discuss the money question until after you are married. Settle it beforehand and don't marry any man who won't agree to give you a definite allowance to keep house on and for your own personal use.

Don't nag. A husband will forgive any other fault in the world to a wife who can say a thing once and let it be done with, and who never says, "I told you so," or reminding him of some mistake that he has made. Don't ever argue on any subject whatever. The only result of an argument is to stir up strife and leave both parties sore at each other. Nobody was ever convinced by one. Besides, your husband has just as much right to his opinion as you have to yours.

Don't try to reform your husband. If you don't like the way he dresses or his grammar or his religion or his politics, don't marry him. Take him as he is or leave him alone.

And whatever you do, don't interfere with his personal habits. Any wife goes that at her peril. By the time a man is old enough to get married he is settled on the plan that he likes and knows what he likes to eat and drink, and nothing irritates him like having to have a fight over how much sugar he puts in his coffee or being made to eat spinach instead of caviar.

Don't be a sport-sport. When your husband wants to go out, grab your hat and go with him, and pretend that you are having a grand time whether you are or not.

The reason so many wives are left at home is because they always grouch over the play, or the seats at the theatre, or the price of the dinner at a restaurant, and make just about as depressing companions as a wet blanket would be.

And finally, don't forget that it is easy to catch a husband, but it is hard to hold one, and it takes brains and work to do it.

As for how much of the housework you should expect your husband to do, that depends on the conditions in which you live. If you are a domestic woman and have no work to do outside of your house and are healthy and able-bodied, I don't think you should expect your husband to do anything, barring hanging a picture or some small job like that. But if you are sick and unable physically to do all the work and he is not able to hire a servant, then he should lend a hand when you need it.

If, however, you are one of the wives who keep on with their jobs after marriage and help earn the family income, then your husband should go fifty-fifty with you on the housework. That is only fair.

As to what you should expect of your husband after marriage, you have a right to expect him to be faithful and tender and kind and considerate, and to do all in his power to make you happy.

And that goes double. DOROTHY DIX.

DEAR MISS DIX—What is this illusive thing personality? Why can't one person be as attractive as another? Why can a person be cheerful, jolly and kind and have everybody esteem them and like them, but just let some body with personality come along and everybody forsakes the ordinary individual and rushes after the one with it, even although he or she may have nothing really worth while about them?

Isn't there a key to this charm some place, or is it a magic that is given you at birth? THE SEEKER.

Answer—Nobody knows what qualities go to make up this mysterious thing we call personality. It isn't a matter of beauty or brains or wit or intelligence or goodness or any of the standardized charms and virtues, because we all know people who are good-looking and learned and kind and agreeable whom we all highly respect and yet who have no more attraction for us than a bowl of milk.

And we know other people who are scapegraces and ne'er-do-wells and no better than they should be, and who never said or did a wise thing in their lives, and yet they draw us to them as irresistibly as a magnet does a needle. We are always forgiving them and excusing their faults and paying them out of debt and we don't know why we do it except that they have a way with them.

It is this inexplicable personality that enables one person to get away with murder, so to speak, while another is condemned for stepping on our toes. It is what makes something that one man does seem funny, yet disgusting when another man does it. It is what makes one girl cute when she talks baby talk and another one seems like a moron.

But there is no use in seeking personality if you have it not, because you will never find it. It is like a peach-and-cream complexion and naturally curly hair. You have to be born with it. DOROTHY DIX.

DEAR MISS DIX—I am a married man deeply in love with a married woman. I have five small children. She has four. My wife is an honest woman, fairly good-looking, a good worker, a nice housekeeper, but just so plain dumb she doesn't know the World War is over, if she ever heard of it at all. I am filing suit for divorce and want the woman I love to get a divorce and marry me. What do you advise a love-crazed, disappointed, disheartened husband to do in a case like this? TWO-BITS.

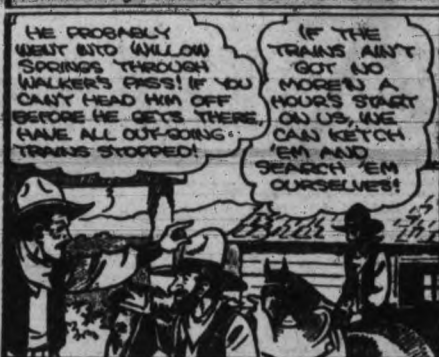
Answer—You know the old adage about jumping out of the frying pan into the fire. It seems to me that will be your fate if you divorce your good wife and marry this other woman and undertake the support of nine small children.

My advice to you is to stick to the old wife and do your duty by the youngsters you have brought into the world. If your wife is stupid, remember that you picked her out. She represents your taste. And, believe me, a wife can have lots worse faults than being dumb. She could be a bad cook or a nagger or a philanderer. Plenty of men have that kind of wife. DOROTHY DIX.

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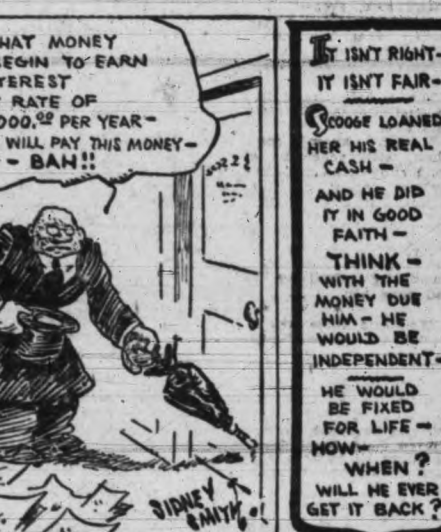
Patches is missing, and with him have gone Jim Blunt's clothes containing a thousand dollars.



Mutt And Jeff—



The Gumps—



Bringing Up Father—



OUT OUR WAY

—By WILLIAMS BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

—By MARTIN



VICTORIA, B.C., SATURDAY, JANUARY 24, 1931

How to Draw Comics Like Mine—By George McManus

"Laugh Tests", the Kinds of Humor and Studio Short-Cuts Divulged by the Famous Creator of "Bringing Up Father"

By GEORGE McMANUS,

World Famous Cartoonist, Creator of "Bringing Up Father."

THE editor of a great Eastern daily used to have his own ingenious test for every comic strip offered him. First he would cover up all the "balloons"—the dialogue and other lettering—and decide whether the drawing was funny enough to stand alone if need be. Next he would cover up the drawing and see whether he got a laugh from the balloons.

Any strip which passed both tests had a good chance, the editor believed, to be a hit. He was right. There aren't many comic creations that can stand up as pantomime and as humorous "gagging" equally well.

Frequently I apply the same test to "Bringing Up Father" strips before I send them out of my studio. Of course, in a strip like mine, the way the characters look and what they say are closely bound up. That makes it more difficult. Everyone knows that there are comedians who can make a feeble joke sound uproariously funny. But that's no reason why the comedian shouldn't try to get fresh, really humorous material; and I always strive to give "Jiggs" funny lines, even though he can get away with his Irish personality alone, many times.

This matter of making a comic strip funny—of "gagging"—it, as the artists say—is the biggest problem a young cartoonist has to face.

No matter how well drawn or how ludicrous the characters in a strip are, they can scarcely achieve a long-continued popular success without a series of intrinsically funny situations and things to say. Comic artists with real talent have run aground in their careers for lack of good "gags."

I believe this problem, like many others that beset the embryo comic artist, can be solved by a sensible attack upon it. No one with a gift for humorous drawing ought to fail because of a lack of material. The air is full of it—the conversation in homes, restaurants and trains abounds with it. From such sources are good strips born and old ones carried on.

In previous articles in this series I have told of many of the short-cuts comic artists take to enliven their creations. I have said very little about "gagging" the strip, which is, in the final analysis, the most important job of all. A comic strip without a bang-up finish is a failure for that day.

Before any cartoonist can be sure of a steady source of laughs, he must have several characters that are interesting in themselves, and he must have an intimate understanding of those characters. That is, he must see to it that none of them says or does anything "out of character." He must live with them every day and know them too well to let them be anything but themselves. You can imagine what would happen if I had "Jiggs" talk like one of the counts "Maggie" is always inviting to dinner; or if I had him display no interest in a dish of corned beef and cabbage.

Indeed, once the people of your strip become thoroughly familiar to you, they seem to be saying and doing funny things almost of their own accord. When this happens, you can be pretty sure you have characters with a large human element in them—and a large element of appeal to the humans who watch their doings from day to day.

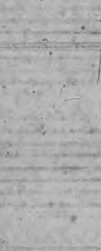
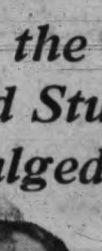
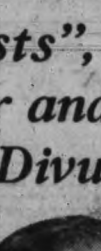
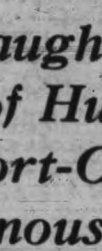
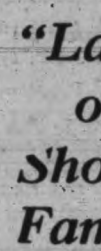
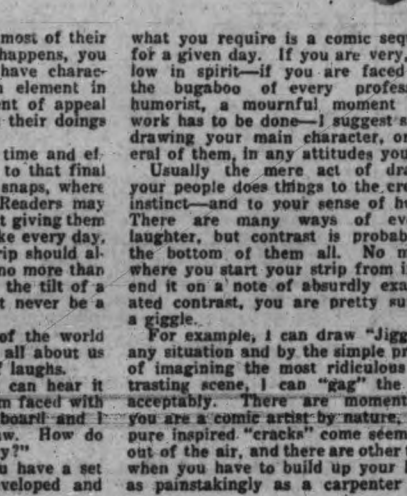
This doesn't mean that time and effort shouldn't be devoted to that final panel where the whiplash snaps, where the "gag" is exploded. Readers may forgive a cartoonist for not giving them a side-splittingly funny joke every day, but something about a strip should always give a laugh—if it's no more than the position of a cigar or the tilt of a hat. That last panel must never be a disappointment.

The really good jokes of the world are limited, but there lies all about us an inexhaustible supply of laughs.

That's easy to say. I can hear it objected, "but suppose I am faced with a sheet of blank Bristol board and have a comic strip to draw. How do I go about making it funny?" We will assume that you have a set of characters already developed and

"STOP, KING!"

Above, the industrious "Maggie" is depicted with a tight grip on the royal robes—symbolizing her quest for a titled hubby for her daughter. Note careful drawing and detail.



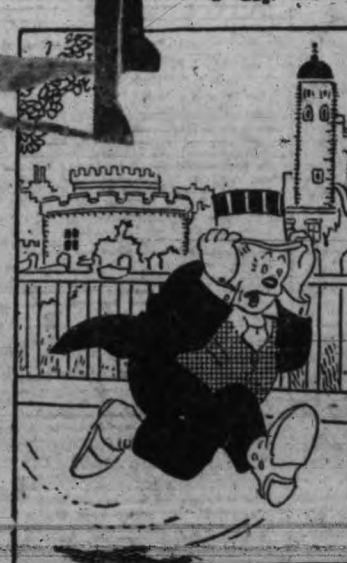
The McManus Brothers—Leo, George and Charles. Leo is One of the Comic Editors for King Features Syndicate, Which Distributes the Famous Strip by George. While Charles is a Cartoonist of Note, Too. Proving That Humor is a Family Trait?

day conversation, is one of the hardest types to put over in a comic strip. This is not due to the subtlety of sarcasm in itself, but to the fact that sarcasm is never effective unless it is accompanied by facial expressions, by movements of the hands and so on, that are exceedingly difficult to draw into a comic strip. The strip is the fast, one-two-three medium; when the reader has to watch closely for facial moods he loses interest long before the point is out.

But the form of humor which tickles me most, and which undoubtedly has

Above, At Right: Kubashima, the Japanese Cartoonist, Translating "Bringing Up Father" for Oriental Fans.

HOLIDAYING When George McManus Visited the Hollywood Studios Recently He Climbed Up on a "Prop" Comic Horse and the Camera Clicked. Maybe He'll Use That Horse for a "Gag."



their own youth. Thus an effective sarcasm, perhaps the most frequent form of contrast-humor used in every-



appeal for many thousands with the same bent, is the exposure of childish ignorance in grown-ups, the lampooning of follies we all possess and are able to understand, even if we don't admit them. "Jiggs" is always showing that he's at heart a blundering, boyish person, with a talent for getting into scrapes. Not only should a good comic strip have the simple humorous situations of childhood frequently in the foreground, for its juvenile fans, but it should enable grown people as they follow the strip to go back to the uproarious adventure of their own youth. Thus an effective



Each of These Three Panels Would Bring a Chuckle without Words. That's the Final Test of a Good Comic, Says McManus.

acter "grows" over a period of years—or even months. Looking back at strips I drew six or eight or ten years ago, I can detect as many evidences of change, of evolution in the features of both "Jiggs" and "Maggie" as might be seen upon the faces of flesh-and-blood people after that long. I hope these changes are for the better, that both my characters are warmer, more human—and funnier—than they were before.

Your own comic will grow and progress the same way, if it strikes at the heart of human nature, if it utilizes the froth of contrast, the whiplash-bang of the surprise ending, at which your characters do the absurd, the ridiculous or the unexpected thing, yet do nothing alien to their established natures.

Finally, don't be misled into believing that any mechanically contrived "gag" can save a strip in which the characters don't, first of all, enlist the readers' sympathies.

Right there is a point which I have touched upon, but perhaps not strongly enough. It is, I am convinced, as near the secret of success as anything connected with a cartoonist's career. I refer to the never-ending search for characteristics and actions in a comic character which reveal him as vividly human—a recognizable type. It is remarkable how a comic char-

acter "grows" over a period of years—or even months. Looking back at strips I drew six or eight or ten years ago, I can detect as many evidences of change, of evolution in the features of both "Jiggs" and "Maggie" as might be seen upon the faces of flesh-and-blood people after that long. I hope these changes are for the better, that both my characters are warmer, more human—and funnier—than they were before.

A PAGE of INTEREST to WOMEN

Scarf Plays Sophisticated Role in New Mode

FUR STOLE FILLS PRACTICAL AND DECORATIVE NEED AT TIMES WHEN CLOAK IS CUMBERSOME;
CHIFFON SQUARE IS SMART ACCOMPANIMENT TO SOMBRE AFTERNOON DRESS

By JEAN PATOU

PARIS.—There seems to be an indication that scarfs are not quite as popular as they were some seasons back. There is, of course, a very good reason for this. Scarfs were an inseparable adjunct to the various types of sports suits or ensembles which women then wore until dinner time. It is only natural they should tire of one of the most pleasing accessories of the former mode.

This does not mean to imply that the scarf has altogether disappeared from fashion's scheme of things. It has, in fact, evolved as all other items of women's dress and the present-day scarf is a very sophisticated article indeed, as regards cut, design and coloring.

A fashion creator cannot very well afford to ignore the scarf or its possibilities. It presents a number of very practical qualities and it can also be a very subtle decorative medium.

PURPOSE OF FUR STOLE

This winter I launched the fur stole, or scarf, for evening wear to fill a practical as well as a decorative need. It had occurred to me that there were many occasions when a woman, unable to retain her cloak or wrap as altogether too cumbersome, still felt the necessity of some protection for her arms and shoulders. The fur stole was never meant to be anything more than an accessory, however, the gown itself retaining all interest, but it was practically the only accessory that could harmonize with the sumptuous character of formal evening dress and, what is more, enhance its splendor.

The same principle rules in regard to the narrow fur scarf which is meant to accompany a simple morning dress or suit. Although far less important



Scarf plays a subdued though important part in the new mode. With a simple afternoon dress (left), Patou shows a chiffon scarf that has a delicate tracery in several shades of green on a white ground. Novel in its one-sided scarf effect is a shoulder cape of ermine (centre). On a sleeveless frock white crepe (right), designed for Palm Beach, Patou places a cleverly-shaped scarf of dull red taffetas with white polka dots.

than the evening scarf, it imparts a trim, finished look to the modern out-of-door dress, whether it is worn with one end slipped through the other or tied around the neck. When worn with a jacket, the ends can be worn outside or not, as preferred. It is extraordinary how youthful such a tie can look, much more so than the fox scarf.

With a black or sombre-hued afternoon dress, the chiffon scarf or square is always a successful complement. It supplies the note of gaiety which in the same way that a piece of jewelry will, but it has the greater advantage of being at once more personal, feminine and dainty.

Here also the scarf must remain an accessory and never risk, by too original a design or coloring, being more conspicuous than the dress itself. That is why I prefer all mousselines with delicate designs in pastel shadings to the bolder colored, modernistic patterns. Beaded or paillette-embroidered accessories I do not consider in good taste for the afternoon.

IMPORTANT WITH LIGHT DRESS

There is one type of dress wherein the scarf plays a more important role than that of just simply an accessory.

This is the simple, light dress, somewhat akin to the tennis dress, that is created for winter resort wear, but a little more fanciful in the matter of cut and trimming. Here the scarf plays an excessively decorative role and is part of the set of accessories, comprising hat trimming and bag, that complete the toilette. A careful study of all proportions, design and fabric is necessary in order that these accessories be absolutely perfect, otherwise the whole atmosphere of the dress and its background is defeated and its greatest charm, that of simplicity, completely destroyed.

HERE'S A "TASTY" LUNCHEON FROCK

Black Satin Costume Will Lend Ease and Confidence to Its Wearers



By JEAN SAVOY

WHAT to wear to the lunch dates that come in the wake of holiday entertaining is a question before the house to-day.

Perhaps you need a new dress. What type should it be, and what material? The most elegant thing you can have, the costume that you can wear again and again with ease and confidence, is the black costume. If you get it in satin, it will give you a charm, a dressiness that other materials often fail to do. There is something about satin—deny it if you can.

The all-black satin dress, with a black satin hat to match, is spring's contribution. If you take it now while spring still is some ways off, you are ahead of the game.

Think how comfortable you will feel, sitting across the restaurant table

from your admirer, if you have on the black satin costume pictured.

The dress is one of those intricately cut ones that it is difficult to describe. The skirt is a wrap-around, with a black satin slip beneath. It ties tightly in two bows right in front and the bodice blouses slightly all around over the belt line which is pulled snugly by the top bow.

The bodice is raglan sleeved, with the elbow and fastened with three buttons and loops. The buttons are of the frock's satin. The neckline, which is a graceful rounded one, has its own little collar, finished with a rolled edge of the material.

The hat is just too cute, made of the same satin, with the inimitably-flattering tricorn shape. It has a tricky little black and white feather ornament on the right side. Worn with a few simple ornaments, this is perfect for the important lunch date.

Dance the Agua Caliente as a Waltz or a Fox Trot



Editor's note.—In this article Arthur Murray, well-known expert in modern dancing, describes the steps of the Agua Caliente. The diagram shows how the steps are taken.

By ARTHUR MURRAY

The Agua Caliente is an advanced dance step which can be combined with both a waltz or a fox trot. It has that exotic beauty and verve that is a quality of the famous resort from which it got its name.

It is a dance that the woman must practice by herself if she hopes to be the kind of dancing partner that makes everyone envious of such a graceful couple.

THE MAN'S PART

1. Beginning with the left foot, take a short, slow step directly forward.
2. Hold the weight on that foot for three beats of the music: 1, 2, 3.
3. Then do a forward waltz movement, beginning with the right foot: 4, 5, 6.
4. To repeat, step forward with the left foot.

THE WOMAN'S PART

1. Beginning with the right foot, take one long, slow step backward.
2. Hold the weight on that foot for three beats of the music: 1, 2, 3.
3. Take a backward waltz movement of three counts, beginning with the left foot.
4. Repeat the entire movement for six counts.
After mastering this step to waltz tempo, practice it to fox trot.
In the fox trot, hold the first step

FLAPPER FANNY SAYS

REG. U. S. PAT. OFF.



any good-looking girls get that way from many good looks in a mirror.

Nellie McClung Says

WE MAKE OUR OWN LUCK

Miss Clarice Bowden opened her dark eyes and yawned luxuriously. She had a cloudy sense of expectancy in her giddy brain. Something very thrilling had happened the night before. Then she remembered.

At the staff dance, she had heard a wonderful piece of news: which goes to show that it is sometimes well to do your duty. Staff dances are the dearest things on earth, but if she hadn't gone she might not have met that pallid little white-wear traveler, who told her the news about Eric Landers, who had made a fortune in oil. Fifty thousand dollars, and still some holdings to hear from!

Miss Bowden admitted to herself that she had underestimated Eric Landers; but who wouldn't? He was such a prim little fellow—the Canadian—typical in-training type—who would fit his salary, and support a missionary in India. If there were not someone to watch him. She had found him one night at a cabaret dance, and showered favors on him, to make someone else jealous. Just for the moment; she could not remember who it was, but in a week she had Eric proposing honorable marriage, and not in the slap-stick manner of "Say, Kid! What about it?"

No indeed! Eric had his introduction, presentation and conclusion.

"Since first I met you, Miss Bowden, you have dominated my thoughts—given me new aspirations and ambition—with you as my guiding star, I can make a place."

Miss Bowden was glad now she had been so diplomatic. She certainly had not burned her bridge. Eric Landers with \$50,000 was a very attractive solution of the future. He was good-looking and tractable. What more could anyone want?

She had fortunately kept all the letters he had written to her since he went away, and getting out of bed she wrapped a crimson velvet gown around her, and re-read some of them. The latest one was six months' old. She should have kept a closer hold—but she resolved not to blame herself. She would write him a little note, and follow it up with a visit. Fortunately she had two weeks' holidays coming to her. Eric had said once, the sight of her hand-writing had set the joy-bells ringing in his heart.

She rang for her breakfast, and as she waited composed a tactful little message. "Dearest Eric: I did not know I could miss any one as I have missed you—and I am so excited. I can hardly write. I am going to be in your city for two days. I will ring you as soon as I arrive. Till then, Clarice."

There were no explanations to be made to her family. She had cut them adrift two years ago, and gone to live in a suite with three other business women, and of late had not gone home at all. Her mother had been broken hearted over it, and couldn't understand, being hopelessly old-fashioned; why any girl wanted to leave her own people.

She was glad now Eric had gone farther west. She had no desire to live

The SUNDAY DINNER by Oscar of the Waldorf.

By OSCAR OF THE WALDORF

Chicken Canapés
Chicken Broth with Rice
Chicken Pot Pie, Waldorf Style
Corn sautéed with Green Pepper
Baked Onions, Creamed
Romaine Salad
Sponge Cake Pudding
Coffee

Chicken Pot Pie

Cut a chicken weighing from three and a half to four pounds into twelve equal pieces; put these in a stewpan, cover with cold water and leave them in for thirty minutes. Then wash them well, drain and return to the pan. Cover again with fresh water; season with salt, pepper and grated

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found herself going up the steps of an old house with blue, red and brown squares of glass in the front door, and a lace panel in which a deer stood on his hind legs poised for a leap across a precipice. It reminded her so poignantly of her old home on Walnut Street that she thought she was dreaming.

Mrs. Hamilton answered her ring, and greeted her warmly.

"Come away in," she said hospitably. "Alice isn't down yet, there have been so many showers and tea she can hardly keep up with them. She knows so many girls, on account of us giving meals to business people here. You see, when Mr. Hamilton died, we really had nothing but this old house, and a little insurance, and three little boys to educate—the eldest one thirteen—and it was Alice's plan to give meals, homecooked meals, and rent a couple of rooms. She had a good position in an office, but she gave it up and came home to help me. . . . She said it was the only way we could all keep together. . . . And she trained the boys to wait on the tables, and got them to take a pride in it; she can do anything with them. And she and I have done the cooking, and we've had a happy time at it, and really done well. We feed thirty people every day, and Bruce, our big boy, is ready for university now."

Clarice Bowden thought with a start of how shabby she had treated her two young brothers when they came one day to the suite to see her. She had been so afraid someone would see them with their corduroy clothes and rumpled hair. . . .

"That's how Alice met Eric Landers. He came here one day for lunch. He says he first fell in love with our little Donald, who looks so sweet in his white coat carrying a tray, and he is a bonny lad, too. . . .

Miss Bowden noticed the old-fashioned furniture, the dark oak book-cases, the cross-stitch foot stools, the round black table with its wreath of roses, the old andirons beside the fire, the faded Brussels carpet. And yet it had a presence, a feeling, a warmth, a comfort that was unmistakable. Beyond in a big room, she could see the tables set for the next meal with brightly colored china and white linen.

"Alice has her things set out in a room upstairs. The wedding is the day after to-morrow, and they are going to California. It will be Alice's first trip. And she deserves the best in life, for a better girl never lived. . . . I will carry on here. I am getting a good cook and a dishwasher, and the boys and I can manage. Everyone is so lovely to us."

Just then Alice came down the stairs, a slight young girl, with big honest blue eyes glowing with health and happiness. The two girls greeted each other.

"It was so friendly of you to come, Miss Bowden," said Alice, "to wish me well. I am glad to meet one of Eric's friends. Did mother tell you it was her cooking that made the match for me? . . . Eric will be here in a few minutes. Come up and see my things, won't you?"

"I would be glad to see your lovely things," said Miss Bowden looking at her watch. "But I must go. Wedding gifts are much the same all over, but there is a difference in brides. I am so glad I could be here for a few hours between trains. I wanted to see you. Give my love to Eric. Tell him I used to believe in luck, but I am beginning to think people make their own."

SLEEVES LEND DISTINCTION TO MODISH NEW COATS



There is something up in the new coats, and plenty of variety in the way it gets there. Modified Angel-sleeves are caught at the elbow and elongated by means of a deep shirred cuff which fits up under them, in a stunning new velvet evening wrap (left) from Jane Regny in that soft moss green that threatens to drive the harsh billards and emeralds off the green map this spring. Silver fox fur cuffs, below shirred elbow-length sleeves, give distinction to this sleek broadtail coat (right) from Jenny. More silver foxes trim the bottom edge and the front, and a self-collar of the broad-tail softens the neckline.

A PAGE FOR THE CHILDREN

Flying To Holland Is Thrilling

Willie Winkle Hears From His Cousin Bobby Who Flew From London to Amsterdam in Holland in Big German Airplane; Saw Windmills From the Air and Dykes That Keep Water Out of Holland; England Looks Like a Garden From the Air; See Zeebrugge, Where British Sailors Blocked Harbor During War.

By WILLIE WINKLE

My cousins, who are holidaying in England, are sure having some time. Last time I heard from Bobby they had just been down in a coal-mine. This week I had another letter and Bobby, Toots and Junior and their Auntie Vic and Uncle George flew from London to Amsterdam in a great big three-motored German monoplane. Boy, that's some trip and I sure wish I was as lucky as they are. They are going to see a lot of the sights in Europe, but I think I'd like that airplane trip best.

Bobby's letter tells all about it and is as follows:

"Imagine our state of mind when Uncle announced that he had made arrangements for us all to fly from Croydon to Amsterdam."

"Behold us, then, arriving at Airways House on Haymarket Street at 8 o'clock one fine morning. We were weighed, also our luggage, then procured our tickets and a map each, and mounted the bus for Croydon."

"A dozen or more planes lay like huge dragon-flies on the tarmac at Imperial Airways, while busy mechanics hovered about them, making sure that all was ship-shape" before they winged their way aloft with their precious human cargo.

"After a short wait, we were escorted to the plane for Amsterdam. It was a big aluminum-colored German monoplane with three great propellers, and able to carry twelve passengers. The pilot, also, was German."

"Inside there were six comfortable-looking leather seats on each side of a centre aisle. At the front a door led out to the pilot's compartment, and at the back was the space for luggage. A little window by each seat could be raised or lowered. No one said a word about belts, or cotton for their ears, in fact it seemed like getting settled on a motor trip."

OFF WE GO

"Whirr! The engines had started. Such a racket! Then we were off, gradually gathering speed as we rather bumpily crossed the field. Toots and Junior squealed with excitement as we 'took off' and first experienced the heavenly feeling of being off the ground, actually flying!"

"And now, slowly we circled, climbing higher and higher, although the only way you could really tell was that the ground seemed farther away."

"Auntie quietly asked Uncle something, at which he laughed, and pulled from the pocket in front of his seat, a folded, waxed paper bag. On it was printed, 'Flir Luftkrank', which means, 'For Airsickness.'"

"After the first five minutes we forgot to be nervous. Except for the noise of the motors, the sight of a great wing from but 'ye window, and the old lip, like when an elevator starts suddenly, we might have been in a great, steady ship."

"Below us stretched 'the garden of England'—tiny fields of brown, green or yellow, hedge-enclosed, pretty little villages of thatched-roof cottages clustered about a square-towered

Mother Nature's Curio Shop



church; winding roads; acres of hop vines, trained upon poles; 'oast' houses (kind of silos used for storing hops) with their peaked tops aslant for ventilation. Uncle said they always made him think of nice, stout old ladies with their hats on askew.

"Once we passed over an ancient castle with a park, and glassy lake; then more orchards, pasture lands and gardens, till we reached Dover and the North Sea."

"Just here, to Junior's utter disgust, he had to grab for his paper bag, and, very shortly, Toots and I did likewise."

LIKE MAGIC CARPET

"Shining in the bright sunlight, the waves, which made the sturdy fishing boats bob up and down like corks, appeared to be mere ripples. A large passenger ship or two sailed slowly along, seeming very humdrum and safe compared to our mode of travel which Toots declared must be like the magic carpet in 'The Little Prince.'"

"Bye and Bye, Uncle drew attention to the dim shore of France ahead, and in the background, England could still hazily be seen. The pilot smiled back at us from his controls and signed that we were up about 1,600 feet."

"Now the shoreline became quite distinct, and the plane turned northward, following the yellow strip of sand along the coast. We passed over the busy ports of Ostend and Dunkirk, and then Uncle said all hands must 'buck up' as we were nearing Zeebrugge."

"Junior looked wanly out his window, while Auntie Vic tried hard to appear interested, as Uncle excitedly pointed out the Mole, or crescent-shaped breakwater, and the mouth of the canal where the British sank H.M.S. Vindictive, which bottled up the German submarines during the war."

"A little later we sighted a large river flowing out to the North Sea, and then Toots shouted, 'Oh, there's a windmill!' and sure enough, Holland, like a picture-book country, was spreading out below and before us."

"At this, even Junior forgot a little of his misery and perked up to ask if that long, low kind of bank, made of earth and stone, was a dyke. It was, and Uncle said that guards are continually on the watch, to see that no rats or other little animals burrow holes in these dykes. A small leak may lead to a large hole and a dreadful flood, for Holland lies below the level of the sea."

"Tiny flat fields now appeared bordered by little ditches or canals, with slow-

moving barges puffing along them. Tidy farmhouses, with roofs, pointed in the centre, and dozens of windmills hove in sight. Grazing in the little fields were black and white cows, so clean they looked as though they had been scrubbed. Most of them had sacks tied over their backs.

NO FLOWERS

"Aunt Vic said she wished it were spring, then we would be seeing glorious fields of tulips, daffodils and hyacinths—bright patches of blue, yellow and red. Holland is famous for its tulips, you know."

"Rotterdam, with its maze of canals, and its fine harbor full of great ships, disappeared slowly beneath us, then more country, and several quaint towns, and finally we saw other planes, and the pilot signalled that we were approaching our destination."

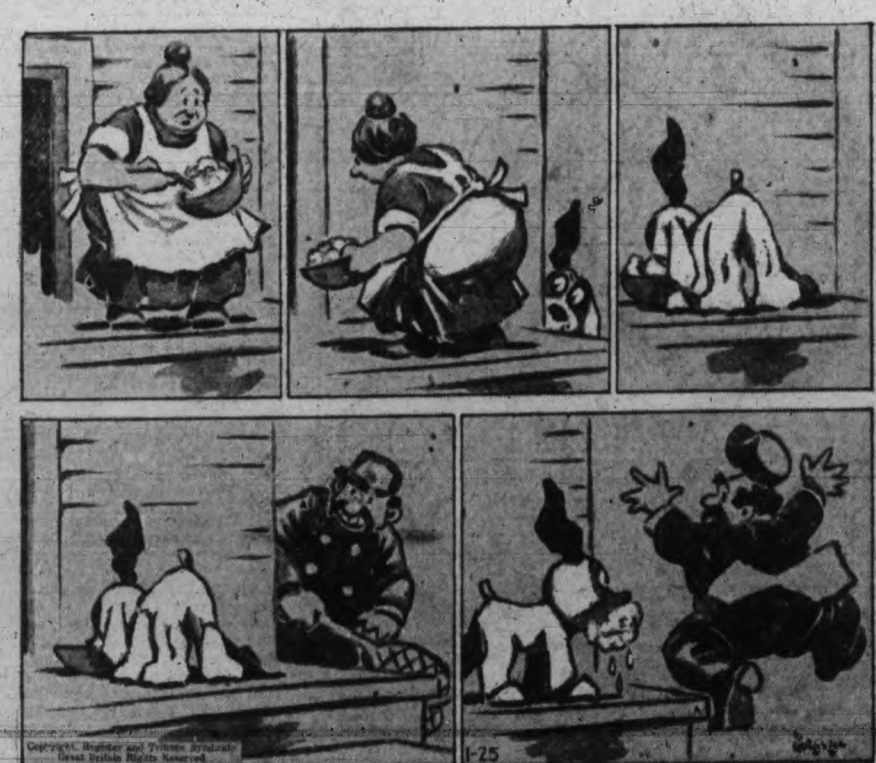
"We circled several times over a broad field, the ground seeming to come up to meet us. A little swaying, and then a very slight bump, and back we were on terra firma again, just in time to catch the motor bus for Amsterdam."

HARD ON THE EYES

Paul: So you met your pet enemy to-day? I'll bet you argued with him until you were black in the face."

Peter: No; just around the eyes."

THE ADVENTURES OF JABBY.



BEDTIME STORY

Uncle Wiggily's Turnip Trick

By HOWARD R. GARIS

Uncle Wiggily sat before the fire in the den of the Fox. That Bad Chap was close behind the rabbit. On each side of Uncle Wiggily was another Bad Chap, the Bob Cat on his left and the Wolf on his right.

In one paw Uncle Wiggily held a large turnip which he had picked up on the path as he hopped through the woods a short time before. And soon after picking up the turnip the three Bad Chaps had caught Mr. Longears and had taken him to the den of the Fox to nibble him.

"Well, what have you thought of?" asked the Fox; for just when the three Bad Chaps had been going to nibble the rabbit Mr. Longears had asked them if he might eat the turnip he had picked up. They said he might, thinking it would make him fatter for nibbling and then Uncle Wiggily, looking at his turnip, had said:

"Wait a minute. I just had a thought."

"Go on, tell us!" snapped the Fox.

"And be quick about it!" ordered the Wolf.

"For we are getting hungry!" mewed the Bob Cat—with his silly little tail, of which he was so ashamed that he sat on it nearly all the time. "We are very hungry!" purred the Bob Cat.

"As you know," said Uncle Wiggily holding up the turnip, "I asked you to wait about nib-



bling me until I had a chance to eat this."

"And I said you might," spoke the Fox. Leaning over to the other Bad Chaps, "It will make him fatter," he whispered again.

"Sure!" agreed the Wolf.

"Nothing could be better!" snarled the Bob Cat.

"But," went on Uncle Wiggily, "I'm sure you wouldn't want me to eat this frozen turnip, would you?"

"Is the turnip frozen?" asked the Fox, suspicious like and sanitary.

"Feel for yourself," invited Uncle Wiggily, holding out the yellow vegetable, for this was a

THE TINYMITES



(READ THE STORY, THEN COLOR THE PICTURE)

Poor Clowny sure was frightened now. He shouted loudly, "Tell me how that pesky duck jumped to the street. It's my fault, I'll just bet. But I am feeling right in trim and I can run till I catch him. Say! If you Tinies want to see a thrilling chase, get set."

The duck went quacking down the street. 'Twas fun to watch his little feet fly in the air, then down again. He seemed to fly and hop. Wee Clowny didn't hesitate, but started off at quite a gait. He waved his hands quite frantically and loudly shouted, "Stop!"

"Don't yell at him," another cried. "Just wait till you're up by his side and then reach out and grab him. Gee, you're scaring him to death. You'd better use your speed right now, or he will get away somehow. It won't be long until you'll run yourself right out of breath!"

The duck boy seemed a wee bit sad. The Travel Man said,

yellow turnip of good size. "Yes, it's hard as a rock!" said the Fox, feeling of the turnip.

"Frozen solid!" agreed the Wolf and the Bob Cat.

"Well, what next? Do you want us to eat that frozen turnip for you?" asked the Fox and he wasn't very polite about it, either.

"No, I don't expect you to eat this frozen turnip for me," said Mr. Longears. "I can eat my own turnips, thank you!"

"Then why all this talk and delay!" howled the Wolf.

"Come on, Wiggily! Eat your turnip and get done with it and then we can nibble you. Go on—eat it!"

"No," spoke the rabbit, "I would rather not eat this frozen turnip. It might give me the toothache and you know as well as I do that it is no fun nibbling a rabbit with the toothache, is it?"

"No, indeed!" answered the Wolf.

"Cheer up, lad. If Clowny doesn't catch your duck, for him I'll gladly pay. However, Clowny'll likely bring him back. You will not lose a thing."

Then Scouty startled everyone by crying, loudly, "Hey!"

"Our good friend Clowny's coming back. And listen to that old duck quack. He's held tight in wee Clowny's arms. The chase met with success!" Then Clowny brought the duck back to the boy, who said, "It's kind of you!"

"Course Clowny felt real proud. Said he, 'I'm pretty good, I guess.'"

The Tinies then walked down the street and soon were much surprised to meet a native woman who was mixing mortar. She looked queer. The Travel Man then said, "You see a sight that's strange as it can be. The same work's done by women as by men folk over here."

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Auntie May's Corner

Some boys have very good eyes and can see things a long way off. I once heard a young aviator, who had his eyes examined, say the doctor said he had eyes like telescopes. It is a wonderful thing to have good eyesight but I have been reading about the Golden Eagle, which has such unusual eyes that it could read an ordinary newspaper three city blocks away. This statement is made by Dan McGowan, of Toronto, who has spent some time studying the eagle and has made climbs up treacherous, rocky cliffs to get pictures of the downy eaglets.

The hawk also has keen eyes. You often see them flying high in the air circling around, then suddenly dart straight for the ground. They have spied something to eat and are after it.

When you take a boat trip the sea-gulls follow behind and the moment anything is thrown overboard they drop down on it. It is not uncommon to see a seagull catch a biscuit or piece of bread in its bill while it is in flight.

CAUGHT ON FISH LINE

The gulls are not particular sometimes what they take. I remember one day a boy was fishing off the outer docks and was lowering his line down to the water. A seagull was under the wharf and saw the piece of meat on the boy's hook and grabbed it. The hook caught in the gull's mouth and there was quite a scene there for a while, as the gull flapped its wings in great pain and anguish.

Mr. McGowan, who knows so much about birds, says that two white pelicans in the Toronto Zoo represent the oldest form of bird life in Canada. Despite its ancient lineage, the white pelican is quite up to date, and, according to Mr. McGowan, is "air-minded." The white pelicans fly for fun, for the pure joy of it, he says. High up they go, swinging around in great circles, the sun, glinting on their breasts. When they tire of their fun, they use the sky as a toboggan slide, making one grand swoop down to the lake. The white pelicans nest on islands remote from land, where they are comparatively safe.

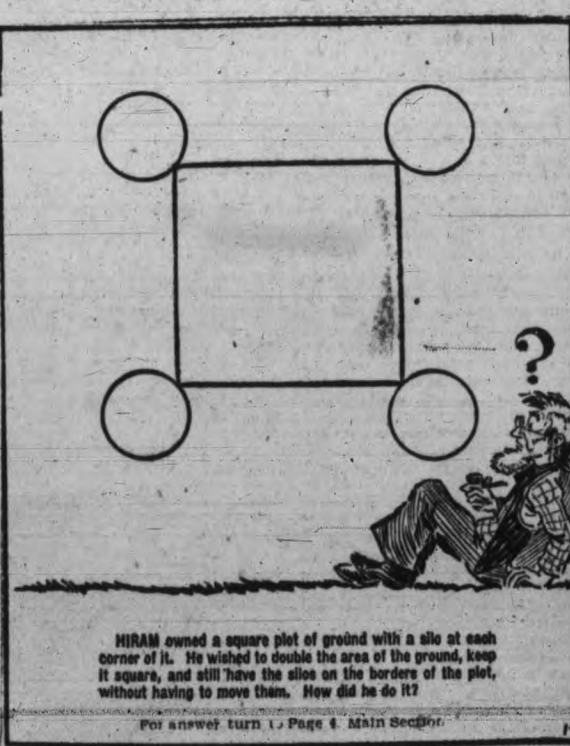
Mr. McGowan says that no complete history of any bird or animal has been written, as something new is always being discovered. He tells some of the interesting habits of some birds. The grebe covers the eggs in the nest with half-rotted weeds, thus creating a natural incubator, and the prairie chicken roosts down in a snowbank. He gave an amusing description of the Western pack rat, the only animal known to have a hobby. His hobby is collecting spoons, knives, tin cups and other odds and ends which he finds in hut or tent. "But he always leaves something in its place—a stone, a stick, or even the skull of a squirrel," Mr. McGowan said.

Dear Auntie May—What can you do with a baby sister? We've got one in our house and every time I want to play with my doll's house along comes baby and wrecks everything. She doesn't seem to understand how to play right but it makes me mad when she upsets things. If I speak cross to her Mother says to be more patient, but that's all right for her, but I get madder and shut off the doll's house and go off and cry. I love baby but there's some times when I wish she would keep out of the way. What should I do?

That's just too bad, Margaret. Baby sisters are trying, and so are baby brothers, but don't forget that you were a baby girl yourself and someone had to put up with you when you were small. You were just as bad. There's nothing you can do to make babies behave. They don't know any better and their little minds and hands are so active that they must be into everything. They are having fun but they don't realize that they are causing trouble. As mother says, try and be patient and see if you can't get to play nicely with Baby. Try and have tea parties with her with the things in your doll's house. She'll probably fall right in with you and you won't have so much trouble.

Boys and girls, do you realize what a wonderful winter we are having? So far it has been more like spring. There have been very few afternoons after school that you have had to stay in the house. That is what makes such fine healthy children. Plenty of outdoor fun and exercise. If you lived in some cities you would have to go to school in the cold, all bundled up like an Eskimo, and after school you would have to stay in the house. And you might have to do it for weeks at a time. So be thankful you live in Victoria.

STICKLERS



MIRAM owned a square plot of ground with a stick at each corner of it. He wished to double the area of the ground, keep it square, and still have the sticks on the corners of the plot, without having to move them. How did he do it?

For answer turn to Page 4, Main Section

PRIDE

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ALBERT RICHARD WETJEN

DOWN along the docks the warning whistle had just gone, and Cummings was in the act of lighting a final glass of beer to his lips when the stranger touched him on the arm.

"Hello!" said Cummings, a little startled.

"You're on the Norwich City?" asked the stranger politely.

"Second Mate," Cummings agreed.

"Who's commanding her now?" inquired the stranger, "Captain Norris, eh?"

"That's right," said Cummings. "Old Norris's still got her—but you'll have to excuse me. I've got to get back." He gulped down his beer.

The stranger nodded and smiled pleasantly. He was a tall man, somewhat lean; decidedly tanned and efficient. His eyes were a friendly blue and he had very firm, wide lips with faint lines each side of them. His hand gripped Cummings' arm with a gentle but none the less insistent pressure.

"Don't be in a hurry," he insisted. "When is the Norwich City sailing?"

"To-night, if we get her loaded. But I tell you—"

"Yes, I know. I won't keep you long. Would you like to make a hundred pounds?"

Young Cummings blinked and coughed. He vaguely knew that so much money did exist but, for himself, he had never owned over twenty or thirty pounds. There is so much to spend money on when one is twenty-four and lying in Shanghai or Boston or Bombay.

"A hundred pounds?" he asked, and then managed to grin. "Come off! I don't bet on horses."

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A MYSTERIOUS EXCHANGE

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"The hell he'll have blacklisted. You can't sign on one day and then shout about signing off the next."

The stranger's eyes narrowed and he studied the younger man's flushed face for a moment.

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"If you agree to my offer, I'll prove I can do what I say. There's one other condition. You must keep your mouth shut."

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THE EFFICIENT SUBSTITUTE

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"We've been busy sanding the booms, sir," explained the mate, but the captain cut him short.

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Captain Norris turned frosty eyes toward the clock screwed to the bulkhead above his desk.

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"Very good, sir," said Lawson.

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"I've been working out position out by dead reckoning," the mate was saying peevishly. "Got sort of worried after that fuss we had to-day. And tell you the truth, Lawson, it does seem to me we're a bit far east—way too far east. I'm going to talk to the Old Man when he shows up."

"Well, it's his lookout," said Lawson, shrugging. "You heard me say his position was wrong."

"That's right," the mate agreed. "But it's no use us piling up."

"I was down in his room just now," said Lawson. "He told me he'd be taking a nap for an hour or so."

Eight bells went from the wheelhouse and the mate went to look at the compass and write up the log. Lawson waited until the third mate took over and he heard the mate's parting remarks to the youngster.

"Keep a good lookout ahead and to port," he said. "I've got a hunch we're being edged over too far east. If you spot anything, call the Old Man."

"Aye, aye, sir," answered the Third. Lawson looked in at him and nodded.

"I'm sort of worried myself," he announced. "I suppose you heard about the row we had to-day?"

"I'll say," said the Third. "And to tell you the truth, my figures disagree with both yours and the Old Man's. So I'm keeping mum."

"That's the way," Lawson agreed. He laughed again as he went down on the main deck. He was the only man on board who knew exactly where the Norwich City was. And he was more than ever satisfied that he had thought of everything. He went up on the boat deck after a while and made sure the falls were all clear for running. He fixed the boat covers so they could be thrown back quite easily and ascertained that all the derrick handles were in place. He wanted no one to doubt that he had thought of everything.

All this accomplished, he went into his room, slightly nervous now the

time was approaching. Wondering if perhaps he had been correct in his own estimates. The Norwich City should strike about one or twelve-thirty, in his own watch. He wanted to be in command when she did hit the coral.

ON BRINK OF DISASTER

The final half-hour to eight bells, midnight, passed like an age to Lawson. But he heard the strokes at last and went up to take over. He was all ready, his money belt fastened about him; a flask of brandy in his hip-pocket. Matches in a waterproof box; plenty of tobacco; a few cakes of chocolate. You could never tell. . . . "I'm going to roll right in," yawned the Third. "Night."

The Third clattered down the companion and Lawson drew a deep breath. Everything was perfect. He went into the chartroom, picked up the dividers and measured the miles off. Yes, they would strike about one bell, in less than half an hour. Smooth night, no moon, no stars. They'd be on the coral before any one could give the alarm. He snapped off the chart-room light and went on the bridge again.

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He flicked the sweat from his forehead and set his teeth. He was both-cranked by the ship. She seemed such a live thing beneath him. Pulsing away. Answering every pith of the sea. A ship of beauty. He had appreciated her from the first. Fine and big and staunch. Clean as a new pin. Any one would be proud of her. No blame to Norris for that. A ship was a ship, especially if you commanded her. Even if you were only second mate of her.

Blast Norris! Blast everything! Wasn't it a mad scheme to wreck a fine ship and a whole crew of fine fellows just to pay off a forty-year debt? Yet Norris had it coming. And he, Lawson, had thought of everything. Everything. There couldn't be a ship. The court would break the Old Man. Break him cold. . . . But it seemed terrible to send such a ship to her death.

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"Hold her!" he choked. "Hold her, you fool! Steady as she goes."

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The little trouble with Captain Norris, the disagreement as to the ship's position, was a climax. In front of a witness, too. And so sure had the captain been that he was right that he had not even troubled to check by dead reckoning. He would be in his bunk when the ship struck. Another fine point for the court, which certainly wouldn't believe such a wild tale as dragging. They would merely think the shock had unhinged the old man. If he told the court the motive for his, Lawson's, wrecking the Norwich City he would be disgraced anyway. The old inquiry might be reopened.

Lawson laughed. He had Norris whichever way he turned. Shut tight in a vise, ready to be cracked. There was hardly a chance of failure. He had thought of everything.

"I've been working out position out by dead reckoning," the mate was saying peevishly. "Got sort of worried after that fuss we had to-day. And tell you the truth, Lawson, it does seem to me we're a bit far east—way too far east. I'm going to talk to the Old Man when he shows up."

"Well, it's his lookout," said Lawson, shrugging. "You heard me say his position was wrong."

"That's right," the mate agreed. "But it's no use us piling up."

"I was down in his room just now," said Lawson. "He told me he'd be taking a nap for an hour or so."

Eight bells went from the wheelhouse and the mate went to look at the compass and write up the log. Lawson waited until the third mate took over and he heard the mate's parting remarks to the youngster.

"Keep a good lookout ahead and to port," he said. "I've got a hunch we're being edged over too far east. If you spot anything, call the Old Man."

"Aye, aye, sir," answered the Third. Lawson looked in at him and nodded.

"I'm sort of worried myself," he announced. "I suppose you heard about the row we had to-day?"

"I'll say," said the Third. "And to tell you the truth, my figures disagree with both yours and the Old Man's. So I'm keeping mum."

"That's the way," Lawson agreed. He laughed again as he went down on the main deck. He was the only man on board who knew exactly where the Norwich City was. And he was more than ever satisfied that he had thought of everything. He went up on the boat deck after a while and made sure the falls were all clear for running. He fixed the boat covers so they could be thrown back quite easily and ascertained that all the derrick handles were in place. He wanted no one to doubt that he had thought of everything.

All this accomplished, he went into his room, slightly nervous now the

climbed over my father's bones! Well, now I've got you. I'm going to see that pride of yours crack and buckle, as they cracked and buckled my father's when he faced the court forty years ago. You understand? I'm driving you to a death of poverty and disgrace. The Norwich City holds all you have, your share of her, and I'll make it hard for you to collect the insurance."

"You can't do it," said Captain Norris in a strangled voice. "You can't do it. Wreck a ship, cold-bloodedly—drown men."

HIS HOUR HAD COME

He seemed to have wilted, to have shriveled, grown small, gaunt, feeble. There was a strange sag to his shoulders, new lines in his face. His eyes had sunk. It was as if something had drawn all the sap and marrow out of him.

"You devil!" he whispered. "You can't do it!"

"But I'm doing it," Lawson laughed. "And there'll be no one drowned. I know these waters. I'll run the Norwich City under and in still water. Easy."

Captain Norris said nothing, but a vast apathy came to him. A numbness began to creep over his limbs and he knew the drug in the coffee was beginning to take effect.

He heard Lawson saying, "I've kept track of you. Waited until I ran across you. When I found you were in dock with me I knew the time had come and I gave you Cummings. A hundred pounds for his berth. So I could be with you, watch you, study you, see how best to hurt you. I know now. This ship's all you've got. You're wrapped up in her. In the ship and your reputation. So I'm taking both away."

"You devil!" whispered the white-haired old man, and he slumped abruptly in his chair.

Lawson crossed the short space to the other. He felt at his pulse and nodded, satisfied. Then, with an effort, he lifted the captain up and dragged him to his bunk, loosening the collar. That done, he left the quarters, locking the door behind him with the master's own keys.

"Not much chance for a sight to-night," grumbled the mate as Lawson came on the bridge a few minutes before eight bells. "It's pretty thick."

"Bad, all right," Peter Lawson agreed.

It was pretty thick, one of those muggy warm nights. Not a star showing. Not a breath of wind. Lawson had expected such a night. The glass and the general weather signs had pointed to it.

If fortune had made the night starry, Lawson would have prevented the mate somehow from taking his sight; kept him talking, or altered his vernier reading again. Or even, if necessary, placed some magnetized iron near the compass. He was ruthless, now that his hour had come. He owed a debt to his dead father and to the dead mother, and he intended to see it paid.

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The helmsman was pushed aside with roughness and the other was spinning the wheel like a man possessed.

ing into line. And then, never, never, strong at figures, he would cast frequent glances at the mate's pad for aid. All of which meant that the second mate navigated almost alone, save for the occasional checking up by the master.

Captain Norris frequently did this. On the noon of this particular day it so happened that Captain Norris and all three of his mates shot the sun together. Eight bells went and with it the lunch gong. The mate cautiously waited until Captain Norris had laid down his sextant on the chartroom table and gone below and then he put his own instrument away, waited a few moments and went below himself. The third mate was about to jot down his vernier reading when Lawson, who was already at work, called to him from over his shoulder.

"Soot down to my room and get my tobacco pouch, will you, Joe?"

"Sure," said the third.

Lawson waited until he heard the youngster's shoes on the companion and then crossed the chartroom to where he had been about to work.

By the time the third returned Lawson was immersed in figures and he received the tobacco pouch with grunted thanks. The third waited just long enough then to check his sextant reading and went below to eat.

A MISTAKE SUGGESTED

It was perhaps an hour later. Captain Norris was in the chartroom again scribbling rapidly. He tore off a sheet of paper from his pad at last, pushed it across from the bench.

"There you are," he said crisply and put his sextant back in its case.

Lawson took the paper and stared at it for a moment, and then compared it with the position he had already written in the log.

"Haven't you made a mistake somewhere, sir?" he ventured. Captain Norris almost dropped his sextant box. "What?" he choked. "What's that?"

"I've got a difference to this over five seconds, sir."

"Well, it's about time you learned to figure correctly!" snapped the captain.

But he snatched the paper back, looked out his sextant again and went over his figures. He looked at the chronometers and gave a grim smile.

"You're wrong, young man. Getting too careless. There's your position. Do you think you can lay a course?"

Lawson ignored the sarcasm and, stepping out on the bridge, hailed the mate, who was directing some work on the boat deck. The mate came up immediately.

"What were your figures for to-day, sir?" asked Lawson.

The mate reddened and gulped, rubbing his jaw and looking from the sarcastic captain to Lawson and back.

"Why," he began. "Why—didn't we get the same, Lawson?"

"That's what I thought," answered the second mate.

The mate stooped and got his sextant out of the drawer below the chart bench. Lawson squinted at the graduated arc and then, getting out his own sextant, compared the vernier readings.

"Well—," said Lawson, and he looked confused.

The captain snatched both sextants from him, squinted at them and then looked at his own.

"Mate's same as myself," he rasped. "You're wrong, Lawson. Rank error, I guess. Might have put us ashore. We're among the islands now, too."

"I don't understand it, sir," Lawson protested. "Are you sure?"

"Sure!" blazed Captain Norris. "I was navigating before you were born."

"Maybe I'd better check up by dead reckoning again, sir," Lawson insisted. "Certainly you'd better. And I'll take a sight myself this evening."

"But I've just given the course," Lawson muttered.

Captain Norris pushed him aside with an emphatic "Beh!" and, snatching up the parallel rulers with his left hand, he dashed to the chart table. Lawson followed it down and went out on the bridge to change the one he had

check up. We can't take chances in the islands here."

"That's right, sir," Lawson agreed.

"Captain Norris drank his coffee and sank back with a sigh.

"Well," he said, "what is it you wanted to talk about?"

Lawson smiled and then did some very peculiar things. He walked to the lounge door, passed through it and shut and bolted the outside ally door which led to the lower bridge. Returning, he closed the lounge door and made a swift circle of the room, dropping the ports. Captain Norris watched him with growing astonishment, and finally got to his feet.

"What's the idea, Mr. Lawson?" he inquired lily.

"Something private, sir," returned the other. "I don't think you'd care for listeners."

"THEY'LL BREAK YOU"

The captain's face went a deeper color and his jaw tightened.

"I don't allow officers to act like this in my own room on my own ship!" he choked. "Get out, Lawson! I'll talk to you in

Jolly and Healthy in His 91st Year; Oil King Gives His Friends Poems

ORMOND BEACH, Fla.—Conserving his strength by playing six holes of golf, six days a week, rather than the customary eight holes in the past; but at the same time appearing as hale and hearty, peppy and jolly, as ever, John D. Rockefeller Sr., in his ninety-first year, again finds happiness this winter in spreading cheer among Ormond Beach's winter colony.

He does not always give away dimes and nickels this winter, but he invariably passes out printed lines of wisdom or poetry. They are as eagerly accepted as the treasured coins.

Rain or shine, cold or hot—provided, of course, the rain is not in the nature of a deluge or the temperature of a bitter, biting degree—Neighbor John plays his daily round with various members of the colony.

And his game is as consistently good this winter as it has ever been. He is getting anywhere from 150 yards or better on his tee shots, and his fairway and approach shots are true and long. He continues to favor a brassie, whether playing midway to the green or approaching, and in his hands, the wood club is a potent weapon.

HE CAME to the popular resort course on this particular morning in high spirits, interrupting his game of golf long enough to tell to his own words, the funniest story he had ever heard.

He had greeted every person awaiting his arrival at the club with a "Happy New Year" adding, "It's nice of you to greet an old, infirm golfer." Still joking about his age, he illustrated the latter remark by limping

with a having bought it, however, he hid it in the barn.

"His wife noticed that he was spending an uncommon amount of time in the barn, so she slipped up on him, took the glass away from him, and looked into it.

"So," she exclaimed, "This is the busy you have been running around with!"

AN AMATEUR photographer requested a picture and Mr. Rockefeller assented. "Fire away!" he shouted gaily, after backing to the proper distance.

Then, with parting waves of the hand and measured stride, he turned and walked across the greenward to the clubhouse, where soon afterward he joined a foursome for his daily morning round.

He sat on a bench adjoining the No. 3 tee, where he begins his round this winter, until the other had teed off; then, following custom, he ignored preliminary warming-up swings and sent the gutta percha pellet sailing down the fairway approximately 150 yards.

He selected a brassie, and the next shot was a spanking drive of 100 yards. Neighbor John holed out in six, making the 451-yard hole in one over par. The morning round had begun.

A FLOCK of seagulls, flying high above the junks in military-like

formation, attracted Mr. Rockefeller's attention. He gazed upward at them a moment and then moved on sturdily, following the little white ball over which he has become a veritable master.

The eighth and final tee was reached. Neighbor John's ball rolled barely short of the 150-yard stake. His next shot brought him better than midway to the green; his third, a beautiful approach, with a brassie, laid the ball ten feet away from the pin. He missed the putt, but holed out on the next for a five, one over par for the 307-yard hole.

THE WEATHER varies almost from one extreme to the other—for instance, the day before a keen wind bearing icy tidings of the northland swept the course; just before Mr. Rockefeller reached the final green on this day an obviously aged man, whose white hair contrasted sharply with the tan of his skin, wearing shorts and a sleeveless shirt, strode briskly along the woodland road adjoining the course, taking his constitutional. His attire was admirably suited to the day.

Mr. Rockefeller wore a grey cap with flaps fastened over the ears, tweed pants, vest and an outer coat of grey.

EVERY precaution is being taken by the Ormond Beach golf club management this winter to save Mr. Rockefeller from annoyance by strangers and



newspapermen. Only members are allowed to enter the course.

To the young man Mr. Rockefeller says in effect: "Let nothing you dismay. Don't be disheartened. When it is a young man's people would say, 'Look at that sober-faced fellow. He will never amount to anything.'"

MR. ROCKEFELLER carries a bit of verse, written by himself, which he repeats often to those with whom he comes in contact:

"I was early taught to work as well as play; My life has been one long, happy holiday— Full of work and full of play— I dropped the worry on the way— And God was good to me every day."

It is the consensus of opinion that in his ninety-first year Neighbor John never appeared happier or jollier. He has found happiness in spreading cheer among the members of the little colony at Ormond.

ORMOND, Fla.—Flowers and an inscribed photograph were tokens from John D. Rockefeller Sr. to Mrs.

John D. Rockefeller—who passes out poems now, instead of shiny new nickels or dimes—is shown in these sketches by Artist Joe King. Though near the century mark, he is still going strong—and if you do not believe it, just look at his golf score.

Amelia Galli Cured, the opera singer, feller was about to climb into his automobile to drive home.

The meeting was a climax to his daily game of golf. Mrs. Galli Cured reached the course just as Mr. Rockefeller was about to leave.

very pleased to have the pleasure of knowing you."

He then presented her with a boutonniere of violets and sweet peas. "I found them at my plate this morning," he explained, "and they made me think of your voice. And here is a picture with an appropriate sentiment."

"If you don't mind," began Mr. Rockefeller, "I would like to read you the daily poem and prayer which we read at breakfast this morning. It made a deep impression on me."

Then he read:

"Let's hollow out beside the way. Where men fare to and fro A spring that all their steps may stay Where cooling waters flow And then, go forth with more of grace And goodness in every face."

Let's plant a rose beside the road Where all the world goes by That every pilgrim, with his load, May feast his happy eye. Upon its beauty as he goes And breathe a blessing on the rose."

The poem, he said, was by Nixon Waterman.

How Plants Awaken to Life Explained by Connell

By Robert Connell
Noted Island Naturalist

FOOD-MAKING by a plant is preliminary to growth, but in the life-history of an individual plant the order is reversed. Even in cuttings there is some store of prepared and ready-made food from which the new growth of callus and root proceeds. But the dependence of growth on food already made is best seen in a germinating seed, which indeed is an excellent illustration of the processes I described last week.

The formation of a seed is preceded by the pollination of the pistil of a flower. The pollen is highly nitrogenous and forms a food much valued by bees for their young. The minute grains of which it consists may fall on the stigma of the flower that supplies the pollen, and the pistil is then said to be "self-pollinated." More generally the grains are carried by the wind or by insects, and come in contact with the pistil of another flower, the one from which they have come. If the flowers are on the same plant the result is called "cross-pollination," but if the flowers are on another plant of the same genus or species the result is called "cross-pollination." If the stigma is ripe for the reception of the pollen the grains that fall on it proceed to elongate as tubes and grow down into the wall of the pistil until at length the egg-chamber is reached. Fertilization results from the union of the nuclear contents of the pollen-tube and of the ovule or egg; a fertilized egg, and, in the lilies and grasses as well as some other plants, a special food-store independent of the embryo and known as "endosperm," is thus the outcome of fertilization.

The formation of the seed is nothing more or less than the completion of the processes in fertilization. The rapid growth begun by the union of cells and carried on by division makes a heavy demand on the powers of the plant, and if seed-formation is allowed flowering soon ceases in most plants, as every gardener knows. The exceptions are to be found chiefly among those troublemakers of the land, the weeds, some of which seem to possess almost indefinite powers of simultaneous and persistent blossoming and seeding.

THE TREASURE OF THE SEEDS

The work of division and growth goes on unseen by us until at length within its outer wrappings lies the embryo plant. Soak a common bean in warm water and remove the outer skin carefully when it is soft. Within you

will find two large seed-leaves or cotyledons, their thickness due to the store of food contained in them and not intended for man or beast, but for the nourishment of the embryo when it awakes from its brief sleep and proceeds to grow. The seed-leaves in the bean are part of the embryo, but in the cereals and grasses, as you may see by examining a grain of wheat or Indian corn, the tiny embryo is separated from its food-store by a partition through which it must, when the time for use comes, draw it forth. This partition is a single cotyledon or seed-leaf.

Opening the seed-leaves carefully you will find between them a pair of pale yellow leaves, very small but plainly marked with veins and neatly folded. Near the base of the leaves, where they join the seed-leaves, there extends at an angle to them the smooth, white, slender little root or "radicle." Here, then, we have the whole structure of the future plant in a nutshell—quite literally so, if we take an acorn or chestnut. The folded leaves are the upward-growing portion of the plant's axis, seeking light and air, the radicle is the downward-growing part that searches for darkness and moisture. Indeed, if we open the folded leaves and examine their points of union with the axis, we shall be able to make out the buds or growing point that will determine the plant's form. These leaves are collectively called the "plumule" or "little feather."

It is interesting to note here that the cotyledon or seed-leaf provides one of the most strikingly marked distinctions among flowering plants. The great family of the grasses, with such allies as the lilies, amaryllises, and irises, the sedges and rushes, the palms, bananas and pineapples, all of which stand for separate families, possess only one seed-leaf in the embryo. They have, almost universally, leaves with parallel veins, their flower parts are usually in threes or multiples of three, their bundles of conducting tissue are closed and scattered instead of forming rings, and their roots are fibrous. Those plants with two seed-leaves in the embryo usually have net-veined leaves, their flower parts in fives or fours, their conducting bundles forming rings, and their roots of the "tap" type, preserving the descending axis of the primary root. In all these characters there are, it is true, variations, sometimes sadly puzzling to beginners in plant study, but when all of them are taken into consideration the distinction is generally clear. Thus the European herb-paris belongs to the lily family, yet its floral parts are in fours and eights; but an examination of its seed shows the single seed-leaf of its family.

A LITTLE SLEEP, AND THEN—

After the formation of the embryo plant with its food, together constituting the seed, a short resting period generally follows, varying with the kind of plant. It is more common and therefore more necessary in wild plants. The seeds of most

of our wild flowers are formed early in the summer or even in the spring, but if they were to germinate as soon as favorable conditions arrived, a warm rain such as occasionally falls in June or July might cause their germination and they would be killed inevitably in the heat and drought of late summer. But the resting period allotted to them by Nature restrains them until the winter rains come, and then every crevice in the rocks and every available corner is green with the little seedlings.

The awakening depends on favorable conditions. Seeds may lie asleep for many years, but by no means all seeds. The heaviest sleepers are those of the bean and mustard families; some of the former have been found capable of germination after two centuries. Seeds of weeds such as pigweed, mustard, common sorrel, shepherd's-purse and evening primrose will survive a thirty years' burial in the farmer's field. Nevertheless the widely disseminated story of "mummy wheat" taken from the tombs of the Pharaohs and grown may be safely taken to be without foundation in fact, other than the readiness of the natives and others to "plant" wheat the visitor desires.

The immediate causes of germination, those which may be said to play the part of alarm-clock to the sleeper, are three. There must first be abundant moisture. Seeds are enveloped in wrappings or coats and these require the soaking of water to soften them. The water passes through these coats to the inner cells and by distending them makes it possible for them to awaken and begin their activities. The older the seed the more carefully and gradually should water be allowed access to it.

Then the soil temperature must be suitable to the particular kind of seed. Generally speaking, somewhere between 50 and 70 degrees Fahrenheit will be found to give reasonable quickness of germination for our common seeds.

During the time of the seed's sleep it has been respiring or breathing very slowly and gently in every one of its cells, but with its awakening the demand for more oxygen becomes imperative. Growth requires the breaking-down of food substances to produce energy, and the agent of this breaking-down process is oxygen. This gas, then, is the third essential to the seed's awakening. With its increase and the presence of necessary water and suitable warmth the temperature of the growing tissue rises, as one may easily make proof of with soaked peas or grain as the germinating process starts and proceeds in them: the larger the quantity and the more massed together the seeds, the more evident the result. The same effect may be detected in the unfolding buds of flower heads.

THE EARTH-SEEKER

Our bean-seed awakens, then, under the stimulus of moisture, warmth and increased oxygen.

One of the first results of the entry of water into the cells is the aroused activity of the digestive ferment and the conversion of the stored foods into soluble substances capable of being transferred to the rapidly-growing parts of the embryo.

Thus assured of nutrition the radicle breaks through the outer covering and grows downward into the soil. The growing point of the young root is of great interest. Its business is to be continually insinuating itself into new territory in that dark subterranean world, and one might easily conclude that its tip would be tough and strong for such a purpose. On the contrary it is the most delicate portion of the whole plant. It is composed of very rapidly growing and loosely-combined cells which form a protective cap. As fast as the cells of the root-cap are worn away they are replaced, and in this way the delicate tissues underlying the cap are protected. It is a very remarkable adaptation to circumstances, and even in plants where the roots leave the stem above the ground for strengthening purposes as root-butterflies, as in the screw-pine, the protective cap is there and can be easily seen, ready for its underground operations.

There is, of course, the root-hair region which I described last week. Its tiny outstretched cells penetrate the soil on all sides of the root, bringing themselves into contact with the soil particles and the water adhering to them, and thus drinking in through the microscopic pores of their membranous walls the fluid that is life to the young plant.

The downward movement of the root reminds one of the instinctive actions of young animals, such as that by which they seek as soon as they are born their mothers' milk. It is plain that the root responds to a distinct stimulus which is generally attributed to the force of gravity. Experiments show that no matter in what position a seed is placed the customary direction of the root will assert itself, and one need not look to the laboratory alone for evidence: in garden, field and wood seeds may be seen adroitly adjusting themselves to the upside-down position in which they have come to rest, and by twists and turns preparing their radicles for the vertical downward thrust.

I may add that the difficulty with which a seedling is removed from the soil without injury to the roots shows how early it performs one of the most primitive functions of a root, one that antedates the physiological ones. "Seedlings" have often large and powerful "holdfasts," sometimes disks, sometimes densely branched pads, by which they attach themselves to rocks and timbers as by living anchors. So the root of even a tiny seedling is a holdfast and anchor, and as the plant increases in size the spread of side roots even move toward the lengthening of the tap-root serves to keep erect the foliage-laden stem and branches.

"THE HEIGHT THAT LIES FOREVER IN THE LIGHT"

When the root has got well started on its way the young bean begins its upward growth, arching its back, so to speak, it breaks through the soil, taking up with it the seed-leaves or cotyledons from which it has all the while been drawing its subsistence. Reaching the surface the cotyledons slip from the outer coat, while between them appears the plumule. The old coat is quickly discarded, the stem straightens itself, and now the plumule, expanded into two green leaves with a bud between, rises above the depleted seed-leaves. They, too, temporarily assume a prostrate position, but their days are numbered; they have served their purpose of foster-mother to the infant plant; they have seen it reach upward from the dark earth to

"the height that lies forever in the light," and their work is done.

As surely as the root turns downward, so does the shoot or stem rise upward to the light. As more evident to our sense of sight this spectacle of the plant's search for light is both familiar and entertaining. A walk through the forest is rich in instances. One of the commonest and yet most curious is the formation of new "leaders" when the main and topmost shoot of a tree has been broken off. The other day I saw no less than four competitors in just such a contest for supremacy. Generally one quite outstrips the others, but sometimes two or more make a kind of oligarchy high in air. Under the influence of this restless search for light ordinarily independent plants turn into "social climbers" in a literal sense, with loss of character and strength. The sturdy bog-loving Labrador-tea winds like a honeysuckle round the sheltering pine, and as for the coniferous trees themselves I must refer my readers to the photographs and explanations of my friend Mr. C. C. Pemberton, whose writings on these "winners" are internationally known.

What I wrote last week about food manufacture by the green leaves explains the plant's search for light and why the unfurling of the plumule marks a new era in the plant's life. Henceforth our bean is a self-supporting being with the responsibilities of life before it and upon it. The light acts as a stimulus upon the sensitive protoplasm of the shoot cells, and away the plant grows after it. The movement is just the reverse of what takes place in the root, and yet here is a curious thing suggestive of food for thought: when you strike a cutting the cells of the shoot form a callus or thick pad at the lower end and send out rootlets that act just as the primary root does, and where willows trail their branches in a river roots grow from their extremities instead of buds and leaves, and in such quantity

that they look like the hair of an Ophelia fallen in "the weeping brook."

THE GROWING POINTS AND REGIONS

This aptitude of growing cells to change their office is a very important one in the reproduction of plants by cuttings, but it is related to the whole of vegetative life. The growing parts of plants are the tips of the main shoot, the stems, and branches, and of the corresponding parts of the root, the tips of tap-root, laterals, and their branches. But while these growing tissues provide for the expansion of the plant towards light and away from it, and for the production of fresh leaves and flowers on the one hand, and of fresh regions of root-hairs on the other, they make no provision for the increase in diameter of the axis. This growth in diameter is provided for by a layer of very thin and actively growing cells, similar to those of the growing points at the extremities; they lie between the bark and the wood, that is, they have the raw sap conducting tissues on the inside and the wood most easily part company on the outside. Thus between the bark and the wood they form a moist layer well known to every boy-maker of whistles in the spring. When Charles Murray's wee herd-ladzie "cut a sappy sucker from the muckle rodden-tree, He trimmed it, and he wet it, and he thumped it on his knee."

he was just getting at the cambium or new growth tissue of his roan shoot, because in that region the proved tradition of boyhood told him the bark and the wood must easily part company. In perennials like our northern trees each year sees a definite addition to the diameter. The cambium or layer of growing tissue grows by the continuous division of the cells, thin-walled and flushed with vigorous protoplasm. The new wood of sapling is porous, full of many large conducting tubes; the later or summer wood is more abundant in wood fibres and the conducting parts are proportionately small and scarce. Hence the spring wood is lighter in color than the summer as a rule, and the latter by its density gives the outer edge of what is known as an annual ring. Sometimes under conditions of drought or insect plague followed by rain and warmth two small rings may be formed in a year, but most of the rings are without doubt annual ones. This may be tested by comparing the number of rings in a young coniferous tree with the number of branch whorls immediately above or on the next adjacent stem. The bark grows from the cambium, too, on the outer side of the cambium ring, but the character of the tissues is such that the lines of growth are not easily discerned. In the inner bark the manufactured sap chiefly travels. We have thus in the cambium an excellent example of the differentiation in form and office of growing cells, as clear in its way as that shown in roots from stem cuttings.

Togo, Dead Dog Hero of Nome Race, Takes Place in Museum

TOGO is dead, but his name and his deeds have been made immortal. If there are blizzards in Elysium, Togo's dog soul must be pushing on. But the earthly form of him still stands, sturdy and alert, so that posterity may admire and remember.

Togo is stuffed, though with a life-like gauntness, and stands in a glass case at the Peabody Museum at Yale. When the university announced its intention of establishing a collection of champions of all breeds, the weather-beaten old hide of the famous Siberian sled dog that died last month was bequeathed it by Leonard Seppala, his equally famous driver.

Together the two had broken thousands of miles of Alaskan trail, culminating a series of great deeds by their race against death when they carried serum to the diphtheria-stricken inhabitants of Nome.

ON THE TRAIL

That he was marked by destiny was not apparent when Togo was born in 1913, the only pup in Dolly's litter. She pampered him, and Suggen, his father, always was away on the trail, so it remained for Seppala, his master, to



Ralph C. Merrill of the Peabody Museum, Yale University, putting the finishing touches to all that remains of Togo, famous sled dog.

made the twenty-six-mile run in one hour and 50 minutes. And in a single season they logged a total distance of 8,000 miles.

Togo was thirteen when, at the outbreak of the Nome epidemic, he was called on for his greatest effort. It was another dog, Balto, that got most of the glory from the outside world. But Togo didn't care. He and Seppala knew that their dash across the frozen expanse of Norton Bay in the dead of night was the hardest part of the journey. The mercury sunk at thirty below zero and a storm howled down from the north as they traveled that 340 miles.

The race to Nome was the closing episode of his career, the greatest of trail dogs. He was too old to enforce the command that had been his ever since he was a frolicking youngster. So he was pensioned in the care of Mrs. Elizabeth Ricker of Poland Spring, Me.

Inactivity brought neuritis to the veteran. After a while he found himself unable to walk around the house to get his meals. But for a long time he lingered on, lying in the sun and dreaming of the northland—the races, the fights and the storm-swept camps when the nights were long.

Now, even though in a museum case, Togo is on his feet again. And still a champion.

Nixon Creek Busy Camp

ALONG the west shore of Lake Cowichan is located the busy logging centre at Nixon Creek, but to loggers and those who do business with this thriving community it is known as "Camp 6."

It is much more than a camp; it is quite safe to call it a town, because logging there will possibly be carried on anywhere from twenty to twenty-five years. The population is approximately 350, and, unlike many other places, varies only slightly from year to year.

The company operating at Nixon Creek is the Empire Logging Company. This company has, since it commenced operations at Lake Cowichan, taken out some 600,000,000 feet of logs. Of this quantity the Nixon Creek area has so far cut some 300,000,000 feet. The average amount yearly has been about 75,000,000 feet.

The extensive operations at Nixon Creek are carried out under the management of Chris Gilson.

There are over fifty families, and the necessary number of men to permit logging on a large scale at Nixon Creek.

Some families have been with the company since it first started operating on Lake Cowichan. The Nixon Creek Township is located at the east end of the creek, which flows into Lake Cowichan. It is one of the very beautiful areas on the lake.

There is a splendid hall built voluntarily by the loggers, and the money for the building was raised by subscription. The hall is 30x70 feet and

has accommodation for over 300 people. It is used for almost every kind of indoor game, and social events.

At Nixon Creek there is much evidence of the co-operative spirit and a very happy feeling between the staff and management.

There is a store supplying all the needs of the population of the Nixon Creek area. This store is very ably managed by a former newspaper man, who admits that his news associations gave him a training that could hardly be gained any other way. Bert Wilson is the manager, and now handles goods and merchandise worth many thousands of dollars yearly.

It is at a time like the present that one is tempted to correct the erroneous impressions that many people have to-day about the average logger. It matters little whether it is the logger at Nixon Creek or elsewhere, this class of worker has been grossly misrepresented. If one takes the class of logger at Nixon Creek as a concrete case, it will show how very different is the class of logger in the woods than those of many years ago. Here at Nixon Creek one finds educated men who write B.A. and M.A. after their names, and some with teachers' certificates.

The Empire Logging Company at Nixon Creek has been going steadily through the winter months getting out logs for the mill across the lake at Youbou, known as the Industrial Timber Company.

Logging is being carried on high up the mountain sides above Lake Cowichan, some 3,000 feet,

Servants' Union for All Britain Is Labor's Plan

WELL—WHAT NEXT?



One of the keepers of London Zoo wants new addition to zoo, a Gibbon ape, to be in best of health, and is offering him a juicy apple.

LAUNCH CAMPAIGN TO ORGANIZE MILLION DOMESTIC WORKERS

LONDON—The organized women of the British Labor Party-Trade Union Movement are now in the midst of a nation-wide campaign which aims to organize the million domestic servants in Great Britain. By this means British labor expects not only to improve the economic condition of household servants but to add thousands of voters to the labor roll from what is now notoriously the least "class conscious" section of the workers in this country.

This gigantic task has been undertaken by the standing joint committee of industrial women's organizations. The chairman is Mrs. C. D. Mackham, J.P., wife of a Cambridge professor, and the secretary, Dr. Marion Phillips, M.P., chief woman officer of the Labor party. Other prominent women on the committee are Miss Margaret Bondfield, Minister of Labor, and Miss Susan Lawrence, M.P., parliamentary secretary to the Minister of Health. The committee itself represents twenty-one national women's organizations affiliated with the Labor Party and the Trade Union Movement, the Women's Co-operative Guild and 3,000 women's sections of local Labor parties throughout the country.

WOULD CREATE JOINT COUNCILS
The aim of the committee is to draw up a domestic servants' charter, which shall liberate them from what is considered to be a "wretched industry," a charter which will attract servants into the union but which will at the same time be fair, in the committee's eyes, to employers.

What the committee proposes is the creation of joint councils, representing both servants and employers, as has been done with respect to employed and employers in various other trades and industries. The country would be divided into districts, with a joint council for each district, to fix the conditions of work for domestic servants—hours, pay, holidays, living conditions, etc.

There would, in addition, be a national joint council which would probably act as a court of appeal from the district council and which might also prescribe the minimum conditions of employment for domestic servants. These joint councils, as already established in a number of trades, have no legal status or authority, but are voluntary associations of employed and employers. In practice, however, their decisions are usually obeyed by both parties concerned. As a first step in this direction a questionnaire has been prepared and tens of thousands of copies have been circulated through the country to women's organizations, social workers, employers of servants and finally to the servants themselves.

DEMAND EMPLOYMENT INSURANCE
"Labor has its own ideas on the problem," Dr. Phillips said. "But we want to know what others think. We do not want ideas merely from one section of the people. It is common ground that domestic service among the generality of women has been regarded as unpopular. Nobody has yet been able to say exactly why."

The primary purpose of the questionnaire is to obtain some guide to the basis by which a sound scheme can be drawn up to make domestic service a properly organized profession. So far as our inquiries have gone, we can say that there is a general demand that domestic servants should be insured against unemployment. Another problem centres round the payment of taxes by which vacancies are filled. There is a very real grievance about the fees extorted by regular offices. Mistresses complain as much as servants on this ground.

These are the questions which are asked: "What do you think the chief reasons for the unpopularity of domestic service?" "Do you think that domestic servants in private employment should be insured against unemployment?" "Which do you think the best method of training: (1) Before leaving school, (2) at classes after leaving school, or (3) by experience in a situation?"

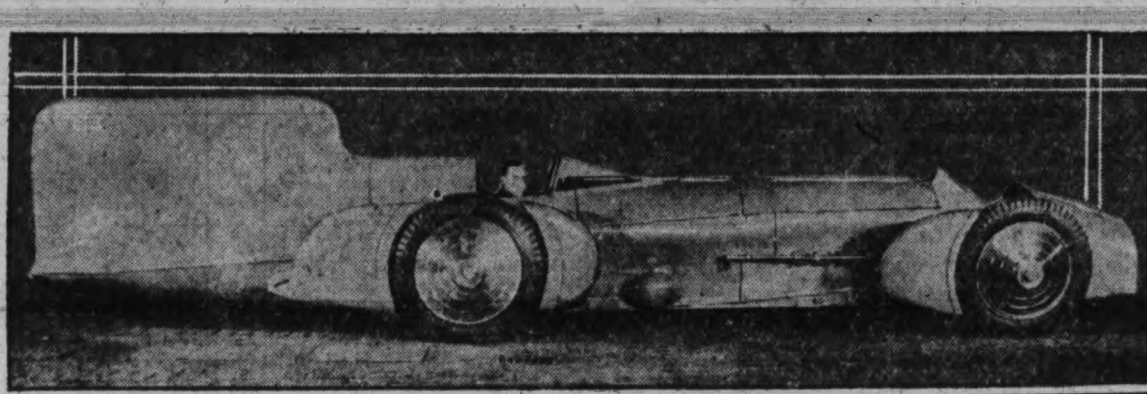
"Are you in favor of using employment exchanges as the method of filling vacancies?" "What do you think should be the maximum working day and how should

Will Billiard Cup Go to Australia?

Reuter's Special to The Victoria Times
London.—A question which is agitating lovers of billiards is whether Walter Lindrum will take the Imperial Gold Cup back to Australia. As a result of the amazing tournament which terminated last week, at which all billiards records were broken, three eminent players have tied for first place. The tie will be replayed during the ensuing month. Each player is confident of his ability, and Newman and Davis base their faith in the fact that the season is only of one and three-quarter hours.

While admitting the superiority of Lindrum, they do not think he will be given sufficient time at the table to pile up enough points to annex the trophy. In a two-hour session the odds would undoubtedly be on the Australian player. Nevertheless, many of those who have seen Lindrum's play, while having the greatest admiration for Davis and Newman, both of whom have improved out of all knowledge this season owing to the conditions in which modern billiards is played, are of the opinion that Lindrum will be the ultimate winner. The new conditions are the introduction of the crystal ball and the Janus cloth. With the ivory ball and the West of England cloth these mammoth breaks which are now a commonplace to professional billiards would be impossible.

IN QUEST OF WORLD'S AUTOMOBILE SPEED RECORD



Newest challenger for the world's speed record on land, Capt. Malcolm Campbell and the torpedo-shaped automobile which he hopes to drive faster than 200 miles an hour at Daytona Beach, Cal., are pictured above after the car had been assembled in England. Note the huge rudder designed to aid in keeping the machine on a straight course at high speeds, and the device built to reduce air pressure against the wheels. At the front is a cooling apparatus, lower than the rest of the car. Captain Campbell, who will attempt to better the mark set by Sir Henry Seagrave, is the only living person who has driven more than 200 miles an hour.

TWO PRINCES TO CROSS ANDES ON MULE BACK

Details of Programme For First Part of S. American Visit Announced

Airplane Journey of 700 Miles Will Be Made Into Buenos Aires in March

Reuter's Special to The Victoria Times
London.—Mule-back and aeroplane are among the varied means of transport which will be used by the Prince of Wales and Prince George during their forthcoming visit to the Argentine, according to a dispatch just received from the Press Association's correspondent in Buenos Aires, in which details of the prince's programme are revealed.

At the conclusion of their visit to Santiago de Chile, their Royal Highnesses will proceed 500 miles southward to Puerto Montt, a seaport at the head of the most northerly of the magnificent fjords inside the Chile Archipelago. They will probably travel by train, though it is possible they may go by sea, definite plans for this part of the tour having not yet been decided. From Puerto Montt the royal travellers will cross the Cordillera, the southern continuation of the Andes, by motor car and muleback—there is no railway across the Cordillera—to the Argentine lake of Nahuel Huapi, which lies just inside the Argentine border at the foot of the Andes. They are due to arrive at Lake Huapi on February 27, and will stay two nights at the estancia ranch of the Ortiz family, on the southern side of the lake.

LONG AIRPLANE TOUR
On February 28 the princes will proceed to the estancia of the Argentine, the Southern Land Company, which lies on the southern side of the lake, and will stay one night with the manager, Mr. Morris. On the following day they will leave by train for Puerto San Antonio, 400 miles away, on the coast of the Argentine, whence east coast of the Argentine, whence on March 4 they will set out on a 700 miles' airplane journey to Buenos Aires. The night of the 4th will be spent at Mar del Plata, and Buenos Aires, where the princes will stay at the British Embassy, will be reached on March 5. The Prince of Wales will be the official guest of the Argentine Government for three days—namely, March 6, 7 and 8.

He and his brother will probably leave on the night of March 8 for Mar del Plata, and they will stay unofficially at this well-known Argentine seaside resort until March 13. On that date they will return to Buenos Aires, where on March 14 the Prince of Wales will open the British Empire Exhibition, the principal object of his visit.

After opening the exhibition, the Prince of Wales intends to proceed by train and probably by air to the north of the Argentine, where he will spend a week. No definite programme for this week has yet been decided upon. During his stay in the Argentine the Prince will probably use an airplane to be brought by H.M. aircraft carrier Eagle, which is visiting Buenos Aires on the occasion of the exhibition. On March 21, in the Alcantara, for Rio de Janeiro.

Dublin Grand Prix Seeks More Money

Reuter's Special to The Victoria Times
London.—Unless the £2,000 required to complete the guarantee fund is forthcoming shortly, the International Grand Prix motor race fixed for June next in Phoenix Park, Dublin, will be abandoned.
An official of the Royal Automobile Club, Dublin, states that during the past week only £150 has been received towards this sum. Successful as regards the sporting side, the race since its initiation in 1920 has proved a financial failure in not being able to attract a sufficient gate to pay expenses.
The Royal Irish Automobile Club, its organizers, were compelled to ask the guarantors for £3,000 in 1929 and £2,500 this year. The Irish Government generously donated £3,000 on the first occasion.

MOST POWERFUL ENGINE TO DRIVE SPEED CAR

Reuter's Special to The Victoria Times
London.—Captain Malcolm Campbell, the racing motorist, has received a telegram from Daytona, Florida, U.S.A., definitely stating that the beach will be available for him to make his attempt on the world's land speed record early in February.

Captain Campbell is now making arrangements to leave this country soon in his bid for the record Captain Campbell will use the most powerful car in the world. Although only a pigmy in size, in reality it will be a speed monster. The super-charged "hush hush" Napier engine which is being used, and for which the Air Ministry had to give special permission before it could be fitted into the car, is only five feet long and three feet wide. It could be packed into an ordinary holiday trunk yet it yields 1,400 horse power—about twice the power of a railway engine. The engine is even more powerful than the one used by the late Sir Henry Seagrave when he set up the present record of 231 miles an hour.

A MODEL OF BLUEBIRD
Captain Malcolm Campbell's Bluebird was first modelled in clay. That toy-like model, only about eighteen inches long, was the means by which

the engineers were able to decide on what is believed will be perfect streamlining. When the model was completed, writes a motoring correspondent, it was subjected to the most exhaustive tests in a wind tunnel at Brooklands to determine how wind blowing in any direction would interfere with the maximum speed aimed at. Even to this small clay model modifications had to be carried out, and it was not until Captain Malcolm Campbell was convinced that the resistance had been reduced to an absolute minimum that he allowed work to proceed on the secret Napier Campbell car to which he is pinning his faith to travel faster on land than man has ever traveled before.

Some remarkable effects were observed when the model tests were carried out, and emphasized Captain Campbell's wisdom in insisting on the elimination of every projection that might reduce speed. It was found, for example, that a single small wire reduced the maximum velocity by as much as four or five miles an hour—a matter of tremendous importance when a car is travelling at four miles a minute. The South Africans, after a bad start, fought back gallantly, and so effectively that they were able to force a win. If we have any complaint, it is that we should have to think of cricket and sunshine and hours of basking in the warmth when here at home the rain is falling torrentially from leaden skies. But we shall not let that affect our appreciation of the victory of the South Africans. The Home side are fortunate to have the assistance as captain of "Nummy" Deane for the remaining Tests. Besides being adored by his players and making a happy alliance with his manager and treasurer, his work on the field was characterized by genius when he visited England.

Cricket Triumph Of South Africa May Bring Good

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London.—South Africa's victory in the first cricket Test may hasten the time when these matches will be regarded in this country as seriously as those in which England and Australia are opposed.

Under existing conditions public interest at this end is only lukewarm, because the eleven which we send to Africa are not truly representative of our best. At the same time it would be unfair to detract from the merit of South Africa's win at Johannesburg by saying that the England team was weak. There were no Hobbs and Butchert at the head of the batting, but on paper it was a strong side, particularly in the bowling.

The host of cricket players and followers in Nottinghamshire, who have small reason to be pious with the march of events since the last Home season ended, gratefully accept the crumb of comfort provided by Voco, who has served England very well indeed in this Test match. The county will need his best next summer.

GOOD FOR BOTH
The triumph of South Africa in the first of the Test matches will do the game in that country much good, remarks The Star. For that reason we

HOSPITALITY OF LONDON TOO COSTLY

\$800 Went Up in Smoke When Lord Mayor Entertained Naval Delegates

Lavish Expenditures—Six Functions Costing \$30,000—Attacked as Waste

London.—The election of the Lord Mayor is apt to agitate the city treasury and even more so the hearts of candidates for the honor, on questions of salary and expense.

London has just had the issue raised in a vital form by complaints of too lavish expenditure in official city entertainments. It used to be raised annually, of course, in connection with the famous Lord Mayor's banquet, when rare meats and drinks, gathered from the four corners of the earth, were alleged to be served to the numerous guests and the city's golden dinner service taken down from the shelf and dusted. To-day tongues are again set wagging by publication of the accounts of the city corporation for the past year.

From this document it appears that when the Naval Conference delegates were entertained at the Guildhall, well over \$800 went up in smoke—from the cigars and cigarettes which followed the banquet. Six city functions, it is revealed, cost about \$30,000, while the funeral decorations on these occasions ran to more than \$11,000.

The Lord Mayor "in lieu of all ancient fees and emoluments" receives an allowance of \$60,000. It is an open secret, however, that in the past Lord Mayors have got through twice that amount.

Come \$1,250 is set aside for furniture at the Mansion House, and about the same sum is needed to cover the insurance of the old plate used.

My Lord Mayor's nightwatchman receives \$1,500 a year. Apart from social expenses, \$76,770 is spent on the administration of criminal justice, and more than that amount is required for charitable activities. For example, \$25,000 is given towards the Dominion Students' Collegiate Hall.

Happily the revenue from properties owned by the city and the various London markets is sufficient to cope with the city's generosity. For London has an income of \$70,000,000.

SPIRITUALIST—BUT HE KEEPS FIT



Interesting photograph of Sir Oliver Lodge, famous scientist, at his home, Normanton House, Wiltshire, England. Sir Oliver is an enthusiastic believer in exercise for physical fitness.

BRITISH WEALTH PLACED AT 28 PER CENT ABOVE 1914

Reuter's Special to The Victoria Times
London.—Students of economic conditions consider that the heavy cloud of depression is at last breaking, although there are some who believe with Sir Walter Runciman that no substantial improvement in trade can take place until a big reduction in taxation and expenditure has been made.

This is a view which must be borne in mind, but at the same time other eminent authorities speak of indications of a change.

Sir Josiah Stamp declares that the wealth of the country at present is £18,045,000,000, or 28 per cent greater than it was in 1914. Financiers and economists regard this fact as constituting a considerable net increase in our national capital, despite world depression. The general feeling is that things might have been worse, and that this country has passed the lowest point in trade depression.

The reduction in the New York bank rate is a sign that the great financiers of America, with the United States Government behind them, mean to give business a fresh start at the New Year.

Or did the new laws that came into force on New Year's Day, perhaps the most important are those relating to the Road Traffic Act. As it stands at present, the insurance of a motor vehicle against third-party risks necessarily adds to the cost of its maintenance, but this will no longer be the rule. On the contrary, it will be cheaper to insure, for there are dire penalties awaiting the owner who contravenes this new regulation.

We are reminded, too, that the income tax rate has been raised by sixpence in the pound, although it has been done gently; there is a coating of sugar on this pill of Chancellor Snowden's, in that some taxpayers in the lower range of incomes benefit by the change in spite of the increase in the standard rate. Again, the Government has conferred a boon on the less fortunate section of the community by undertaking to pay the health insurance contributions of between 60,000 and 100,000 unemployed persons who would otherwise have lost their health insurance rights at the end of this year. But it is the country that will have to foot this bill.

16-Ton Tank Latest British Army Wonder

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London.—Britain's Regular Army is now the advance guard of the National (Territorial) Army, and the intention of the military authorities at the moment is to make the advance guard as formidable as possible by supplying it with the best armored fighting vehicles that science and engineering skill can devise.

The Army Council are not prepared to do more than sanction the building of comparatively few machines of approved design in order to test them under conditions which approximate as closely as possible to those of active service. Five years ago the military authorities set out to ensure for any emergency two essential things which the experience of the late war proved necessary.

One was some protection from merciless machine-gun fire, and the consequent saving of life; and the other was to accelerate movement in order to defeat any attempt at static warfare, and so reach a quicker decision. Their achievements in both directions have exceeded the most sanguine anticipations. Since the disappearance of the experimental armored force which had its home on Salisbury Plain, the organization of two armored brigades—one at Aldershot and other at Tidworth—may be said to have approached more nearly to the kind of fighting unit that was wanted. These formations are still experimental, both as regards the machines, grouping and size. The first great scheme of the Army was the six-wheeled transport vehicle and tractor.

The latest engineering success is the sixteen-ton tank, a machine which embodies all the latest researches of science with engineering skill. In speed, armor, armament, durability, climbing power, radius of action, safety devices, accommodation, and other technical details, it has approached more nearly the type of armored fighting instrument which the Army Council and their technical advisers have been aiming at from the beginning. The heavy tank used in the war traveled at the rate of three miles per hour. The medium tank, weighing

twelve and a half tons—a post-war machine—has a speed of eighteen miles per hour and a circuit of action of 160 miles. The latest tank travels at a maximum speed of thirty miles an hour, has a cross-country performance of twenty miles, and a circuit action of a hundred miles.

Aid Guarantees From Britain May Be Asked, Says Cecil

Reuter's Special to The Victoria Times
London.—A hint that guarantees of assistance from this country in the case of attack may be required by some of the nations at the forthcoming Disarmament Conference at Geneva, was given by Viscount Cecil in a wireless broadcast from London.

Lord Cecil pointed out that the Conference would comprise representatives of fifty or sixty countries, including the United States and Russia, and upon its success or failure might depend the future of civilization.
"The greatest of British interests is peace," he said. "Disarmament is worth a great deal to us, but in this world you seldom can get valuable results unless you are prepared to pay the price for them. It may be when we get into the Conference we shall find that agreement on any serious reduction of armaments will depend on persuading certain nations that they can safely accept it. They may say to us, 'Even allowing for the dangers of air attack, you are relatively safe. It is easy for you to talk about disarmament, but just look at us, with nothing but an imaginary line on the ground to divide us from our neighbors. Suppose we disarm and find our neighbors have only pretended to do so and then attack us, will you come to our defence?' To such an appeal, if we are sincere, we cannot be deaf."

Speaking of the British attitude towards the Conference, Lord Cecil said: "For once our interests and our duty obviously coincide. The lower we can get the armaments of the nations, the better for us and for humanity. No rational Britain outside the turgid lines of so-called patriotic songs desires to extend the possessions of the British Empire. The complicated structure of the Empire is such that any great shock to international stability must threaten the prosperity and perhaps even its existence."

20 DIED IN WRECKAGE OF THIS CRACK BRITISH TRAIN

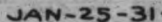


This terrible, mangled mass of wreckage graphically tells the story of the destruction of the fast Edinburgh-London Express, crack British flyer, which ran through a ditch in a night fog and plunged over an embankment at Carlisle, Scotland. Twenty persons were killed and 150 were injured. This is a view of the wrecked locomotive, partly embedded in the ground.

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TAKE THIS PACKAGE TO ARCHIE- BE CAREFUL AND HURRY AS IT CONTAINS HOT BISCUITS AND I WANT HIM TO GET THEM RIGHT AWAY-

RIGHTO!

HULLY GEE! DIS FEELS LIKE PIG-IRON INSTEAD OF BISCUITS-

PACKAGE FROM MISS ROSIE-SIR-

AH! THE BISCUITS SHE JUST PHONED ABOUT-

ISN'T SHE A DARLING?

DEAR ME-ARCHIE HASN'T PHONED TO TELL ME HOW HE LIKED MY BISCUITS- I'LL CALL HIM- HELLO!

YES-BUT ARCHIE ISN'T HERE- THIS IS THE BOSS-ARCHIE WAS TAKEN OUT OF HERE IN AN AMBULANCE TO THE PUTENTAKE HOSPITAL-

Bringing Up Father

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I'M GOIN' TO BE MASTER OF THIS HOUSE AN' I'M GOIN' TO START IN BY LETTIN' THE SERVANTS KNOW IT-

I WISH I COULD BE IN A FIGHTIN' MOOD LIKE THIS ALL THE TIME-

SAY! YOU GIT BUSY AN' SEE THAT MY ROOM IS CLEANED FIRST- DON'T HAVE ME TO TELL YOU AGIN'- HAVE YOU GOT THAT STRAIGHT?

YES, SIR!

HEY! I DIDN'T LIKE THE WAY BREAKFAST WAS SERVED AN' DON'T KEEP WALKIN' WHEN I'M TALKIN' TO YOU-

GIT UP OR I'LL KNOCK YOU DOWN SO'S YOU CAN'T GIT UP-

ALL RIGHT, SIR!

GOOD MORNIN', SAH!

GO AN' CUT THE GRASS AN' SEE THAT IT'S DONE BEFORE I GIT BACK-

YOUR WIFE JUST 'PHONED, SIR- SHE WANTS YOU TO COME RIGHT HOME-

THAT'S THE FIRST TIME SHE EVER WANTED ANY- THING THAT DIDN'T COST ME SOME- THING-

I SUPPOSE MAGGIE HAS NOTICED THE CHANGE IN THE SERVANTS AN' DON'T KNOW WHAT TO MAKE OF IT-

WHAT'S THE IDEA? WHY DIDN'T ONE OF THE SERVANTS OPEN THE DOOR?

COME IN HERE, YOU BIG MULE- I'VE GOT A LOT TO SAY TO YOU-

WHERE DO YOU GET OFF TO BOSS THE HELP THE WAY YOU DID? I CAME HOME AND FOUND NOTES FROM THEM- EVERY ONE HAS QUIT-

WHAT?

BUT, DARLIN' I ONLY-

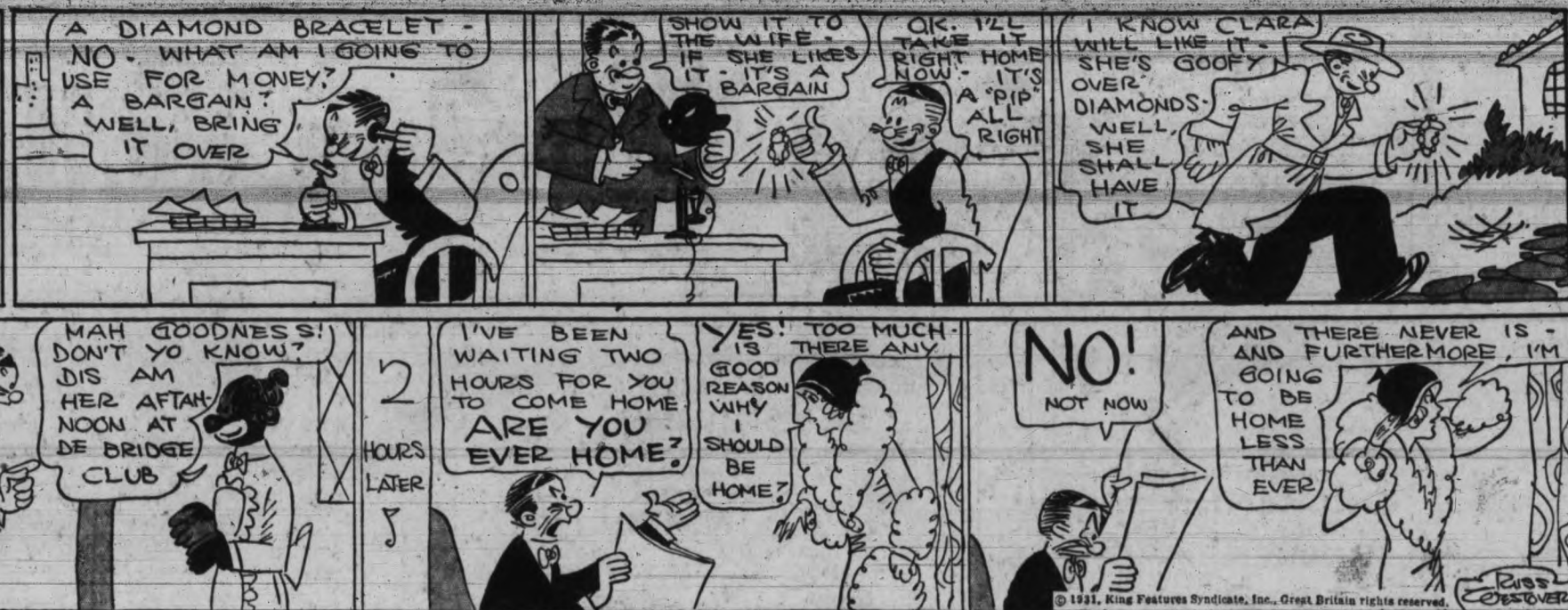
SHUT UP- JUST WASH THE DISHES THAT WERE LEFT AND CLEAN UP THE HOUSE AFTERWARDS AND CUT THE GRASS LATER-

WHAT A FINE DAY I WISHED ON MESELF!

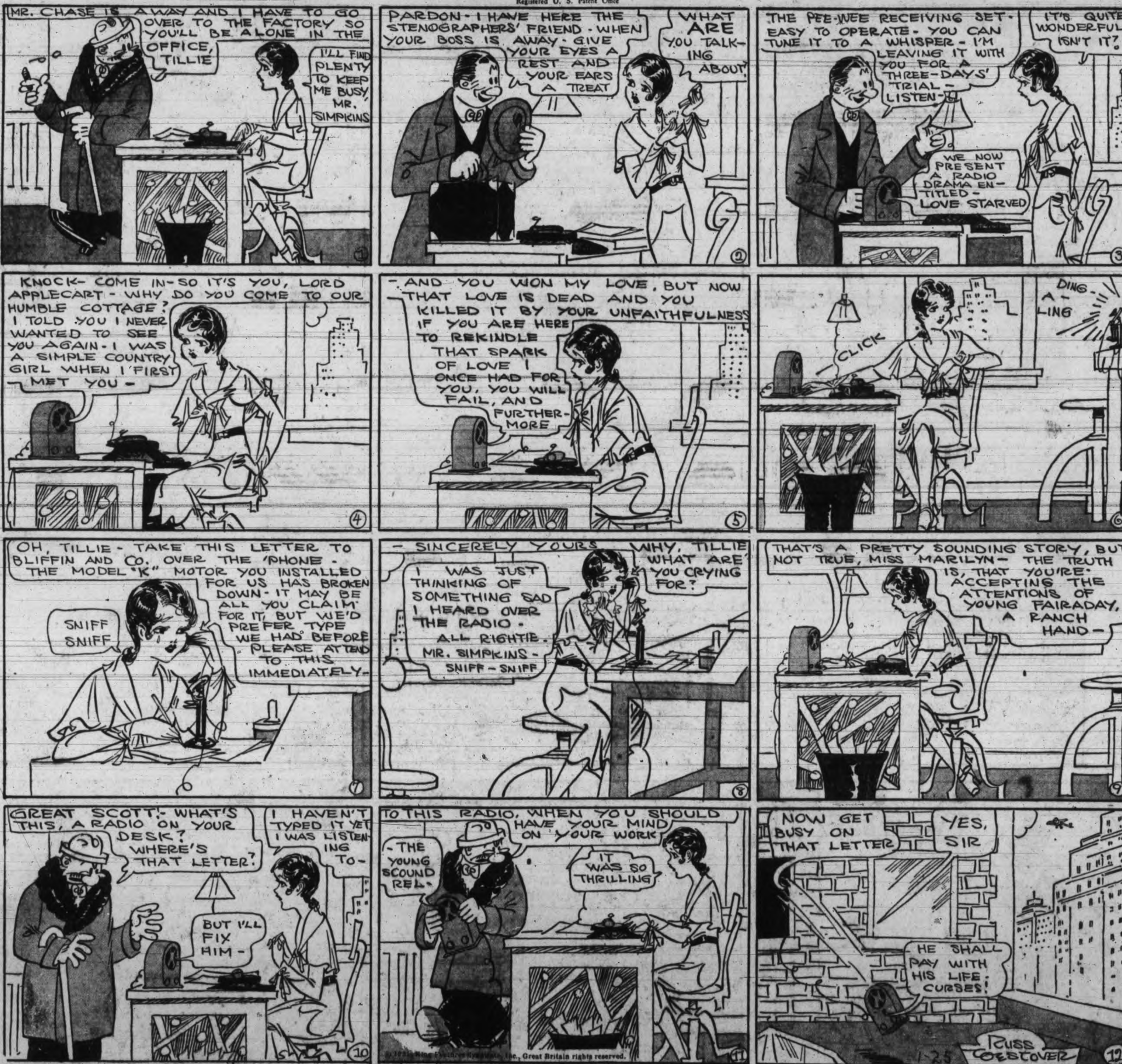
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